

✿ : A booke of
the propertyes
of herbes the
whiche is
called an
Herbal.



**De virtutibus herbarum
et primo de littera. A.**

Agnus castus.



This herbe Agnus
castus / that me do
call Tutelayne / &
other wyle Parke
leues / this hath le
ues soudele rede
lyke vnto þ leues
of Dage / and thys herbe hath se
nowes on his leues as hath Plan
tayne, and it hath yelow flowres &
bereth black berys and it groweth
in dry wodes, þ vertue of thys herbe
is, it wyl kepe men & women chaste
For as Discolidyon & Placens do
saye, thys herbe is called Agnus
castus for þ knowlege and þ vse of
this herbe maketh men chaste. Also
this herbe wyl open the poores of
ma and let out wycked humours
and spyrtes of his body, this herbe
destroeth

destroeth the moysture of manes
seed. Also the same Auctour sayth þ
yf this be sodē with Fenel in Acell
it is good to destroy þ droply. Also
if thys herbe be sodē with smalage
and Sage in salt water, and after
warde the hynder parte of a man
nes hed be well washed therwith
it heleth it and vnbyndeth an euil
that is called Bytarge. Also thys
herbe destroeth the fowle luste of
Lechery and it be dronken / or yf it
be bozne about hym, therfore some
tyme they do ete it roasted / bycause
it shal kepe them chaste / for yf this
herbe be eten rawe / it wyl engēder
hed ache. Thys herbe is good to
desyre the hardnes and stopping of
the Wylte. Also a playster of thys
herbe is good to do awaye ache of
a mannes hed that is engendred
of wycked humours / Thys herbe
is hote and drye in the .ij. degree.

Capitulum.

A. ii.

This

This herbe Apium is a herbe that
 me do cal Smalage oꝝ stamarche
 the vertue of this herbe is this. It
 wyl make a man to pyssē / & oppn
 the stoppnge of the lyuer / also the
 sede of the herbe hardeneth a man
 nes wombe and it draweth wyck-
 ed humours of a mannes bodye
 vnto the hed & to the stomake and
 the wombe / and therfoze it noyeth
 them that haue the fallinge euyl &
 to women that be with chylde / foꝝ
 whan it draweth suche humours
 to the wombe and engendereth that
 be the cause of Sterilitie and ther-
 foze it is comāded of leches that
 women that be with chylde / & they
 that kepe suckyng chyldezen shulde
 nat ete noꝝ drinke of this herbe foꝝ
 drede of þe fallinge euyl foꝝ it is hote
 and drye / & there be spryes therof /
 þe ioyce is good foꝝ colde playsters
 tempered with flower and foꝝ scal-
 dryng thys herbe is hote i þe .i. degre.
 Auetum

Auetum.

This herbe Auetum that men
 do call Aucte otherwyle Dyl / this
 herbe hath leues lyke to fenel bus
 the sede is somdel brode as Diage
 sede is / the vertue of this herbe is
 thus. It wyl make a man pyssē / al-
 so it swageth rumblyng in a man
 nes wombe / and wycked wyndes
 in the wombe / also it distroyeth þe
 veringe / the sede of this herbe byt
 and layde vpon a wounde it healeth
 sone and namely if a mā be scalded
 in hys membrs oꝝ on hys yerde /
 strowe the powder thereon & it shal
 hele / oꝝ what maner of euyl that ry-
 seth in a mannes yerde it shal be
 hole in the same maner / a playster
 made with the same powder & she-
 pes talowe & blacke sope / is good
 foꝝ þe Emataude this herbe is hote
 and drye in the .ii. degre.

Apumerilus

This herbe Apumerilus is cal-
 led

led Cerfey or Chertulle, the vertue of this herbe is and it be dronken with wyne it shall make a man to pyss wel, and it deliuereth a man of ache in the raynes & in the bladder and it be dronken with wyne it letteth out and vnbryndeth the wicked wyndes and vnstoppeth the wombe and the lyuer of all maner wodnes. Thys herbe withholdeth castyng. Also a plaister made with this herbe tempered with Mycel de Stropeth wylde fyre and healeth the Canker and al other woundes thys herbe is one of þe Smalaches And it is hote and drye.

¶ Absynthium.

¶ This herbe is called wozyne-woode. The vertue of thys herbe is It is good to comfozte the herte & clense the stomake. Galyen sayeth that thys herbe hath. ii. vertues one is laxatyue, and the other is cōstypulatiue Therfoze Galyen sayeth that

that yf thys herbe be gguen to an euyl, of the which the mater is not fully desyed, it shall harde the stomake, and let the degestion. And if the matter be rpyed / it shall make a man laxatyue, & esely put awaye the mater. If this herbe be dronke with Pyconarde, it swageth the stomake and of the wombe that is engendred of wycked wyues. Also if this herbe be tēpyed with hony / it wyl ease the swellynge in a mannes mouth. Also it doeth awaye the blacke myste in a mannes eyes and clereth the syght, and yf thys herbe be powned with the gal of a Bull / and afterwarde putte into a mannes eyes, it putteth awaye all maner impedymētes of the syght.

¶ Arthamefia.

¶ Thys herbe is called Mugwozte, the vertue of thys herbe is thus If a mā bere thys herbe about hym he shall not be wery of traue-
 A.iiij. lynge

lynge in his way / Also yf this herbe be pownded wyth talowe / it healeth the sores of mānes fete / and a kynge also. And yf it be wythin a howse / there shall no wycked spyryte abyde. Also yf this herbe be stamped and tempered wyth runnyng water it healeth the akyng of a mannes guttes & many other euylles. this herbe is hote & drye in the.ii. degre.

Affodyllus,

This herbe is called Affodyll / The vertu of the herbe is that the leues ben good to heale the dropie / and the leues of þe flowres be good to be dronken to heale venim of wicked bestes / also the iure of this herbe and Myrr and Saffron tempered to gyder in whyte wyne & a lytell boyled ouer the fyre / & clensted thouroughe a clothe / is good to heale runnyng eyes / also the rote of this herbe bryet to powder / is good to

to heale soze eres and to restore the agayne / also take an hard clothe þe is rough and wete it in the ioyce of the herbe and rubbe that Mophewe therwith syttinge agaynst the sonne and it shal do awaye the Mophewe this herbe is hote and drye in the.ii. degre.

Aritologia longa.

This herbe men do call it Red mader / the vertue of this herbe is thus. It wyll vnbrynde the stoppyng of the lyuer & let passe wycked wyndes that be stopped wythin a mannes body / also if it be dronken wyth wyne it clenseth and purgeth al men of al maner of venim that is in a mannes body. Also it clenseth and purgeth all maner of dysleases that be toted withyn and wythout in the baynes and in the tethe that bene rotten. This herbe is hote and drye / and it muste be gathered in herueste / there be.ii. species

spyrer therof. 20: 21: 22: 23: 24:

Aristologia rotunda

This herbe Aristologia rotunda men do call it Galingale meke/ the vertue of this herbe is thus as ypocras dothe saye / If the sayde herbe be drunke with hote water/then it is medicinable and curable for those men that be stopped in the breste, and for the swellynge eupill and for the Bodagar / and for the Crampe, this herbe is hote and drye, and it must be gathered in heruest and it is a spyrer of the reed Rader. 25: 26: 27: 28: *

Abrotanum.

This herbe abrotanum men call it Sotheerne wode. The vertue of this herbe is thus, if they breake the seede and drynke it wyth water, it healeth men that haue ben bitten with any venimus beaste also this herbe destroyeth wormes in a mannes wōbe also powder of this herbe

herbe medled with barley mele brynndeth and breketh harde postumes, also this herbe bzent and the ashes medeled with oyle, it restoreth there as man lacke here/ this herbe is hote and drye.

Anieos.

This herbe Anieos hath leues lyke vnto Elden, but they be lesse and the seede is lyke persly seede, the vertue of this herbe is thus if it be tempoized with hony it sleeth wormes that be in a manes body, and it vnbryndeth the greates stopping of wyndes, and it breketh the stone and it chafeth a mannes stomake that is colde it chafeth the lycur and the raynes, and it healeth woundes and the byttinge of venemous beastes this herbe is hote and drye.

Alleluya.

This herbe Alleluya men call it wodsoxe or stubwoxe, this herbe hath the leues of the which two be rounde

be rounde a lytel departed aboue/
and it hath a wyte flower, but it
hath no longe stalkes / & it is wryn
soze, and it is lyke .iij. leued grasse
the vertue of this herbe is thus **A**
it be rosted in the ashes in Reed
docke leues or in reed wyte leues
it freteth awaye dede fleshe of a
wounde, thys herbe groweth mo-
che in woodes.

Asterion.

Thys herbe Asterion groweth
amonge stones and in hyghe pla-
ces / thys herbe sheweth by nyght/
thys herbe hath yelow flowers
hole and rounde as a cockebell or
els lyke to foregloues, the leues
of thys herbe be rounde and blewe
& they haue the marke of the mone
in the myddes, as it were .iij. leued
grasse but the leues therof be moze
and they be rounde as a peny, and
the stalke of this herbe is reed and
thys herbe semeth as it were muske
and

and the force therof is yelow and
thys herbe groweth in the newe
mone without leue, and every day
spryngeth a newe lefe to the ende
of .xv. dayes / and after .xv. dayes
it loseth every daye a lefe as þe mōe
waneth, and it spryngeth and wa-
neth as doth the mone, and where
þe it groweth ther groweth greate
quātyte. The vertue of thys herbe
is thus, they that eate of the berys
or of the herbe in wanyng of the
mone, whan he is in sygno virgi-
nis, yf he haue the fallynge euyl he
shal be hole therof, or yf he bere thys
herbe aboute hys necke he shal be
holpen withoute doubte, & it hath
many other good vertues.

Agrimonia.

This herbe Agrimonia me cal
it Egrimonye. The vertue of this
herbe is thus, & it be eten the herbe
and the rotte grene it healeth the
akynge of the wombe. Also if the
herb

herbe be dyed and poudered to powder, & dronke with water is good for the same euill / also the sayde herbe tēpered wyth Myssell is good to heale a wounde that is hurt with yron, also this herbe vled in metes is good to heale the akynge of sores in the mylte and it is good for Creytes. 22: 23: 24: 25

Auancia.

¶ This auancia is called Auāce, the vertue of thys herbe is thus if it be dyed and powder made therof wyth whyte wyne warmed or eis luke warme water & gyue it to that hath the feuers / and it shall helpe him much and ease him, also it healeth woundes & Cankers if it be dronken.

Altea.

¶ Thys herbe is called holyhocke or the wylde Malowe, the vertue of thys herbe is thus, take and stampe it & frye it with Mepestalowe

lowe and make a playster and lay it to a podagar mā & it shall helpe hym wythin thye dayes By experiment al Auctours do say and aspyrie that thys herbe soden wyth Vynegar and Lynsed and a playster made therof & layd to the syde of any person, it departeth and belpeth wycked gatherynge that be engendred in a mannes body this herbe growethe in gardens and moyste places.

Amarisca.

¶ This herbe is called Dogge sell, or Maythis, this herbe is moche lyke to Camamyle for it hath a whyte flower as Camamyle, but it stinketh, the vertue of this herbe is good to drynke the ioyce therof for to heale the Canker and the papes of the Emerawdes / and there be .ij. spyes therof / the one hath a whyte flower, & the other hath a yelowe flower, & it groweth in corne

Aracula

Auricula muris.

This herbe is called **Moufere**
The vertue of this herbe is, if it be
droncken it helpeth the **Quynsy** /
also the ioyce is good to heale al ma
ner woundes.

Apium Emoroidarum.

This herbe is called **Crowfote**
this herbe hath leuys departed as
it were **Rāmes fete**, ths herbe hath
a longe stalke in the myddes / and
groweth in watery places, & hath
yelowe flowers.

Apium ranarum.

Thys herbe **Apium ranarum**
that men call water crowfote, this
herbe hath yelow flowers as hath
crowfote and of the same shappe,
but the leues are moze departed, &
it hath a longe stalke, and out of
that one stalke groweth many stal
kes small by the sydes, thys herbe
groweth in watery places.

Artiplex domestica.

Thys

This herbe **Artiplex domestica**
men call it **Oxage** or **Medollus**.

Anabulla.

This herbe **Anabulla** men call
it **Spurge**.

Acus demonus

This herbe **Acus demonus** is
a herbe that men cal **Doukenel**.

Argentilla.

This herbe **Argentilla** that mē
cal **Argentil** this herbe hath lyttel
leues somdele rounde / and within
they be ragged as it were p leues
of **Eufraſy** / and it groweth moche
amonge whete. and therbe. ij. spy-
ces therof, the moze and the lesse.

Acus mustela.

Ths herbe **Acus mustela** is cal-
led **Groundswely** / It is good for
playsters.

Allium.

Thys herbe **Allium** is called
Garleke / the vertue of thys herbe
is ths. It wyl vnbynde all wycked

B. i.

wyndes

¶ *Muricula muris.*

¶ This herbe is called *Moufere*
The vertue of this herbe is, if it be
droncken it helpeth the *Drynny* /
also the ioyce is good to heale al ma
ner woundes.

¶ *Apium Emoroidarum.*

¶ This herbe is called *Crowfote*
this herbe hath leuys departed as
it were *Rāmes fete*, thys herbe hath
a longe stalke in the myddes / and
groweth in watery places, & hath
yelowe flowers.

¶ *Apium ranarum.*

¶ Thys herbe *Apium ranarum*
that men call water crowfote, this
herbe hath yelow flowers as hath
crowfote and of the same shappe,
but the leues are moze departed, &
it hath a longe stalke, and out of
that one stalke groweth many stal
kes small by the sydes, thys herbe
groweth in watery places.

¶ *Artiplex domestica.*

Thys

¶ This herbe *Artiplex domestica*
men call it *Ozage* or *Medollus*.

¶ *Anabulla.*

¶ This herbe *Anabulla* men call
it *Spurge*.

¶ *Acus demonus*

¶ This herbe *Acus demonus* is
a herbe that men call *Doukenel*.

¶ *Argentilla.*

¶ This herbe *Argentilla* that me
call *Argentil* this herbe hath lyttel
leues sondele rounde / and within
they be ragged as it were y leues
of *Eufraſy* / and it groweth moche
amonge whete. and therbe. ij. spy
ces therof, the moze and the lesse.

¶ *Acus mustela.*

¶ Thys herbe *Acus mustela* is cal
led *Groundswely* / It is good for
playsters.

¶ *Allium.*

¶ Thys herbe *Allium* is called
Garleke / the vertue of thys herbe
is thys. It wyl vnbrynne all wycked
B. i. wyndes

wyndes within a mannes bodye.
 Also it helpeth a man to make wa-
 ter / but it nopeth a mannes eyes /
 bycause of the great byndyng and
 dypnkynge he þ hathe voluptuo-
 sly it dypnketh and destroyeth the
 syght and it destroyeth and heleth
 venym within a mā. Also it heleth
 all colde sores as it were triacle.
 Also it heleth the scabbes / and mo-
 phewes oꝝ bladders in what ma-
 ner place they be in a mānes body,
 so that it be well froted therewith
 this herbe is hote and drye.

Anisum.

This herbe is called Anise / the
 vertue of this herbe is this, it un-
 bindeth the stoppyng of the lyuer
 and of wicked wyndes & of greute
 humours and vncloseth the impte
 Allo it stereth a man to make wa-
 ter and to sweete also ths herbe ma-
 keth a mannes wombe laxatiue yf
 it be to harde and the sede must be
 patched

patched oꝝ roasted in al maner me-
 decynes / than it wyl worke the ra-
 ther / thys herbe is hote and drye.

Hic incipit littera . B . Et
 primo de Bethonia .



Betyñ men do call thys
 herbe / the vertu of ths
 herbe is thys / yf it be
 stamped and thā layde
 to a wounde in þ heed
 that is smytē with a stroke it shal
 hele the wounde sayze, and drawe
 out the broke bones if they be any
 as leches do say, also yf a mannes
 eyes do ake / take the water oꝝ the
 topce therof, & it shal amende them
 greatly. Take Betyñ and stampe
 hym and temper hym wyth water
 oꝝ with wyne warmed and dypnke
 it .x. dayes and it shal destroye any
 webbe in the eyes of any persone.
 Also yf your eyes be waterye eate
 euery daye a lyttel Betyñ, and is
 B.ij. shall

shall do þe muche good, also if you
haue akynges eres / take the ioyce
therof & temper it with rose water
and warme it a lytel and droppe it
in thy eres and stoppe them wyth
wolle / and thou shal be hole / Also
if thou do blede moche at the nose /
take and stampe Betune with salte
and stoppe thy nose therwyth and
it wyll staunche. Also if thou haue
loze tethe / wyth Wyneger or wyth
Aysel let it sethe wel tyl it be moze
than halfe wasted, than as hote as
thou maiste suffer it suppe therof &
holde it i thy mowthe tyl it be colde
than spytte it out and do thys ofte
and thou shal be hole. Also for the
cough take the ioyce or powder of
Betune and medyl it wyth hony / &
make therof a lectuare / and vse it.
ix. dayes and thou shalt be hole.
Also yf a man may not holde his
mete within him take the same me-
decyne and gyue hym. iij. sponesfu-
therof

herof wyth a sponesfull of water.
Also if a mannes yerde be swollen
or that it be soze take Betune and
stampe it wyth whyte wyne tempe-
red and it shal be hole. Also if a mā
be Podagat take Betune & sethe
it well in water and gyue to hym
to drynke and washe his fete ther-
with and lay the herbe aboute his
fete on a clothe, and it wyll amende
hym moche. Also take and eate Be-
tune or powder therof, & you shal
nat be drynken that daye, all these
medicynes haue be proued of thys
herbe. It is hote and drye.

¶ Balsaminta.

¶ Thys herb Balsaminta is cal-
led hoyle mynte or water mynte or
broke mynte, and also thys herbe
doth growe in watery places, the
vertu of this herbe is, to cōfōrt a
mānes stomake and maketh a mā
well to desye his mete. Also þe ioyce
and claryfied Hony, & Reed wyne
B. iij. boyled

boiled to gyther / & it shal do away
the colde fro a mānes stomake and
wycked wyndes within hym, also
the ioyce of els the poudre of the
herbe dronken with Reed wyne
hote it maketh womē that be with
chylde sone and esely to be deliuer-
ed of theyr chylde. This herbe is
hote and drye.

¶ Eleta.

¶ This herbe Eleta is called Be-
tes / and there be .ij. spyces therof
as Diascorides sayeth / the one is
whyte the other is blacke, the ver-
tu of thys herbe is thys if y^e ioyce ther
of be put in y^e nose strylles of a mā
it clenseth a mannes hede. Also it
swageth the akynge of the eyes of
euery persone, it clenseth the hede
from nyttes and from other ver-
myms. Also it repayreth and amen-
dethe a mannes here of hys hede /
also thys herbe destroyeth botches &
biles, also Diascorides sayeth, if a
man

man vse ouer moche of thys herbe
that it noyseth wycked humours
in a man for it is hote.

¶ Bozago.

¶ Bozage is a comon herbe, the
vertue of it is thus. It wyl clense
the reed colour of a man. Also this
herbe is good to destroye the Car-
dyacle / and the postumes that be
gathered of the blacke colour Also
the water dronke with wyne ma-
keth a man glade and mery, thys
herbe is hote and moyste.

¶ Bugla.

¶ Thys herbe Bugla is called
Brounwozte, thys herbe hath le-
uys lyke a browne colour wyth a
blewe flower and sumwhat boy-
stous / the vertue of thys herbe is
thus. It wyl hele woundes in a
mannes hed, and yf thys herbe be
dronkin it helpeth & strengtherh y^e
bones y^e be broke in a mannes hed
this herbe breketh and destroyeth
B. iij. the

the reume and the akyng of the
hed, thys herbe groweth in wodes
moche and it is hote and drye.

¶ Burneta.

¶ Thys herbe Burneta is called
Burnet, thys herbe hath blewe flow
ers as hath the Hayhouse and small
ragged leues lyke Cransy leues, þ
vertu of thys herbe is thus. It wil
destrope the greate humours and
larattue within a man. Also it ope
neth the stoppenge wythin a man
nes lyuer, & maketh a man to pisse
well. Also it maketh one to auoyde
the yelowe euell. Also a porcyon of
this herbe medeled with hony and
whyte wyne helpeth & vnbryndeth
soze stytyches of the rebbes & in the
tetes / there be .ij. spyes therof, the
one groweth on hylles and þ other
in medowes.

¶ Bursa pastozis.

¶ Thys herbe Bursa pastozis / is
called Shepardes purs / thys herbe
hathe

hathe a smal stalke and ful of byas
ches and ragged leues & a whyte
flower, the coddess therof be lyke a
purse / the vertue of thys herbe is
thus / drynke it with reed wyne or
wyth mylke and it wyll staunche
the bloody menson / it is hote and
drye.

¶ Bozago siluestris.

¶ Thys herbe Bozago syluestris
is lyke to comon Bozage / but the
leues be sūewhat samller & it grow
eth in feldes and in wayes.

¶ Billire.

¶ Thys is called Biller. The ver
tue therof is good to cype botches
and it is hote and drye.

¶ Camamilla.

¶ This herbe is called Camamyl
þ vertue of this herbe is thus yf it
be drynke wyth wyne it wyll bryke
the stone, and it dystropech the yel
lowe euill / It helpeth the akenge
and the desease of the lyuer, yf it be

Drayned it helpeth & swaged the
sores in a mannes mouth / it is
good for the akynge in a mannes
hed & for the megrayn / this herbe
is hote and drye.

¶ Calamintum.

¶ This herbe is called Calamint
the vertue of this herbe is thus / it
destroynth a mānes talent, as ppo
cras saith, there be. iij. species ther
of, one that is stony / another that
is of the erth, and the. iij. of the wa
ter and all they be hote and drye, is
that is watery maketh a mā moyt
it that is stony maketh a man hole
yf he drynke it, yf he haue drynke
any venemous drynke / this herbe
made in a playster & lay it to a ve
nemous wounde it draweth out
venym sone. Also who so drynketh
this herbe. iij. dayes, it shall helpe
hym of the yelow cupll The o
ther is erthy it is helpynge for le
per, the ioyce of thys herbe and
it be

it be putte into the eres of a man it
wylle see wormes in a mannes hed
and comforteth the stomake and
helpeth to desy it, and it withdraw
eth castynge.

¶ Crassula maior.

¶ This herbe is moche like vnto
Dypyn, the vertue of this herbe is
thus, yf it be layde to a wounde by
it selfe it shall hyle it without any
other herbe.

¶ Crassula minor.

¶ This herbe is called Stonehoze
or Stonecropp / The leues of this
herbe be somewhat lyke vnto Dypin
and it groweth on houses and
walles / the vertue of thys herbe
is thus / it wylle make a man to
caste.

¶ Cituca.

¶ This herbe is called Hemlocke
or herbe benet, the vertue of thys
herbe is thus, the ioyce of this her
be kepeth maidens tetes smal, also
thys

this herbe ofte dronke kepeth and
destroeth the grete appetetyte of
lechery. Also the toyce tempered
with Swynes grece, dystroeth
the hote Podagere, and swageth
the grete swellynge, for it is colde
and drye.

C Centaurea maior.

CThys is named the moze Cen-
torey or the gail, his flowers be
yelowe in the cropp, his vertu is
yf it be sodden in good wyne, it wil
hele the sekens in the lyuer. it dra-
weth out wycked humours in the
mylt, thys hath ben proued, and it
be sodden in water it is good to hele
a wounde, yf there be a canker & it
be anointed therewith it wyl make
it hole, thys herbe is hote and drye.

C Centauria minor.

CThys herbe is the lesse Cento-
rey, it hath .iii. branches comynge
out of a rounde moze wyth a reed

flower

flower. Hys vertu is this the pou-
der or toyce therof is good for by-
tyng of an adder or any venemus
beeste yf it be dronken with wyne,
and the toyce is good to anoynte
sores therewith yf ye haue any ve-
nym within you, powne it small
and temper it with Myzell and dyke
it and you shal caste out all the ve-
nym within you.

C Cara.

CThis herbe is called Caraway
thys herbe hath leues sum what
lyke to Fenell wyth a longe stalke
and a rounde seede moze than persly
seede. The vertue of this herbe is to
destroie wycked wyndes and the
cough and it is good for the fren-
sy, and for bytyng of venemous
bestes. Also thys herbe medled, is
good for scabbes, and Tetteris.
Also it restoreth heere there as it
is fallen away this herbe groweth
in moyste places,

Celodia

Celodonia.

This herbe is called Celodonia
or Tetterwort his vertu is as Do-
luminus sayeth if the byrdes of the
swalowe be blynde, the dame of
the byrdes secheth of this herbe &
heleth theyr eyes therwyth it is
good for þe canker in a mānes mouth
it is good for þe toth ache & to clen-
se a mānes heed, this herbe is hote
and drye.

Culamen.

This is called Hertnote, Dil-
note Skycote or holyworste: he hath
leues lyke fenell with whyte flo-
wers & a small stalke it groweth
in wodes and medowes, hys ver-
tue is to eate awaye deede fleshe
thys herbe put to a soze that lacketh
here, it wyll restoze the here and
hele the place.

Colewortes.

This herbe is good to clese fres-
he woundes the canker, to noyssh the
synowes, & to hele soze eyes that
be

be almost sighteles, it encreaseth a
womāns mylke the toyce tempered
with Alume and Asell, it swageth
the Leper and it is good to kepe a
mā fro dzonkenes it is hote & drye.

Coliandrum.

This herbe is called Colyan-
dum the vertue of thys herbe is
thys yf the toyce therof be dzonkē
with hony it wyll sle woymes in a
mannes body, and hardeth a man-
nes wombe / the seide is good to
do awaye the feucts þe come. us.
Daye this herbe is hote and drye.

Capillus veneris.

This herbe is called Maydē here
or waterworste. This herbe hath le-
ues lyke vnto ferne, but þe leues be
smaller & it groweth on walles &
stones & in þe middes of þe lese is as
it were blacke here, þe vertue of thys
herbe is thys, it wyll breke þe stone &
it be dzonkē with wine, it destroyeth
benym and it is colde and drye.

Crocus

C Crocus.

CThys herbe is called **Saffron**/ the vertue of thys herbe is thus, it wyl destroy al maner of abhomy-
nacyons of mannes stomake, and wyl make a man to slepe it is good for many medecynes, and namely for cokes to colour their mete ther wyth, it groweth in gardens, and it is hote and drye.

C Centonidium.

CThys herbe is called **Sparowetonge**, the vertu of thys herbe is to bryke the stone /and it is hote and drye.

C Caprifolium.

CThis herbe is called **wodbynde** and it hathe a whyte flower, þ vertue of thys herbe is good to hele **Cankered woundes**/ bladers, and akenge tethe and sores in the toos of a man. Also it is good for the swellynge in a mānes body that is venimed, this herbe is hote & drye.

Canabaria

C Canabaria.

CThys herbe is called **wylde hēpe** or holy roppe, it is lyke vnto hēpe his vertue is yf a man haue the feuer frete wel his pounce ther with and he shalbe hole, and it groweth in watery places. **¶ 2:20:***

C Costus.

CThys is named **Coste** or lesse **Detru**, his vertue is to hele the syckenes of the breste & of the longes and it wyl bryke the postume. Also it dryeth out euyl humours of a mānes hed, and it is good for a mannes stomake **¶ 2:21:***

C Cepe.

CIs named an **Onyon**, hys vertue is to cōforte a mānes stomake it purgeth sumwhat the flewme it nesheth sumwhat the wombe. Also and it be stamped and tempered with hony and **Aleyll** / it is good for the byrting of a heūde. Also the toyce tēpered with womans mylke

C. i.

is

is good to hele the akynge of eres.
Also the ioyce tempered with any
lycoute is good to drynke for any
mā that hath losse his speche. Also
the ioyce put in þe nolethylls bze-
keth out the wycked rewme and þe
stoppyuge in a mannes hed.

¶ Columbina.

¶ This is named Columbyne,
his vertue is good for hym þe hath
the quynsy. This herbe muete be
gathered in Auguste.

¶ Cominum.

¶ This is called Comyn/the le-
ues therof be muche lyke vnto Co-
lpadze it hath many bzaunches com-
mige out of one stalke/it is stroge
of sauour, his vertue is to deliuer
wycked windes and other euylles
in a mannes stomake, it helpeth to
make water, it is hote and drye.

¶ Cardiaca.

¶ This is named Cardacle/it
hath leues lyke to blinde nettels &
it hath

it hath lytel coddres with sede, his
vertue is good for the falling euyl.

¶ Cilara.

¶ This is called a Frece pees/it
hathe leues & coddres lyke vnto o-
ther pees but þe leues be not so gre-
ate nor so longe, & there be .ij. sp-
ces therof. Camelon.

¶ This is called a Woluifthe thy-
stell or a wyldetheystell. He hathe
white leues greete & brode & a red
flower/it groweth by wayes/the
vertue of this herbe is, if thou take
this herbe whan the sone is in Ca-
ppricorne/and the mone be newe:
whyle thou bereste it aboute the/
there shall no myschefe the befall.

¶ Cauda pulli.

¶ This is named Coltes tayle/
this herbe hath leues lyke to wyld
comin, but they be not stalked lyke

¶ Cabachis.

¶ This is named Freche wort
it is hote and drye.

C.ij. Caulus

Caulus gallica.

Chis is named wylde Canfy.

Caulus agrestus.

Chis is an herbe that men call Glauke, or Kouratum, the leues be lyke vnto plantine but they be not so muche / it hathe a whyte flower and groweth in waters.

Cimbaria.

Chis herbe men do call it Penywozte, this herbe hathe rounde leues, it groweth on walles.

Consolida maioz.

Chis is named Cofery, it hathe leues lyke to Hozhelme but they be not so whyte / there be two spyces therof. One with a whyte flower, the other with a reed. Hys vertue is if a man be bzozen or bzozen within take the cotes of this herbe and toste them i the ashes and let the spyke eat therof fastynge. iij. and he shal be hole. Also it helpeth to gather bzozen bones / it is hore
and

emoyste. And it bereth blacke sete

Consolidaminoz.

Chis is called dayly or Bzowfwozte / hys vertue is yf it be stamped and layde to a botche, it shal hele it and bzeke it / for it is a spyce of the Consercy. **¶ 2:20:x**

Consolidamedt i.

Chis herbe is called Bothyn / this herbe hathe longe leues and a lyttel endeted and a whyte flower and the flower is sumwhat lyke to the dayly. **¶ 2:20:20:20**

Chic incipit littera. D. Et primo de Dragantia.



Ragaunce or Serpentyne this herbe is called. The vertue of this herbe is this yf it be stamped and bzozen with wyne / it dothe awaye all maner of venym. Also it dothe awaye the akynge of eres yf they be anpoynted therewith. Also the powder therof blowe in a manes nose,

C.ij.

shall

Shall cleanse a man of the reume /
it is good to destroy the cough /
to destroy the canker and the fre-
tunge of wicked myndes, this herbe
is hote and moyste it muste be ga-
thered in June and July.

¶ *Diptanum.*

¶ This is called Bitander or de-
tayne The vertue of this herbe is
thus, yf it be dronken it wyl deli-
uer a womā of a deead chylde. Also
this herbe wyl drawe out a thorne
or any yron out of a mānes body / it
is hote and drye.

¶ *Daucus asinius.*

¶ This is called Danke, his ver-
tue is to hele the dropsey a bytynge
of venemous bestes. Also it ope-
neth the stoppyng of the lyuer and
of the mylke. Also it vnbryndeth
the wombe and maketh it laxative
it is hote and drye. ¶ *¶*

¶ *Dens leonis.*

¶ This herbe is called Dandel-
on / the

on, the vertue of this herbe is, the
more is good for the feuer coty-
dian. ¶ *¶*

¶ *Dens canis.*

¶ This is named Houndestoth /
it hath leues like to dādelyon but
they be lesse and the brāunches be
not lyke and they droppe mylke.

¶ *Daucus creticus.*

¶ This herbe hath leues lyke to
wyld poppy / but the leues be more
whyte / it hath a flower of purple
colour and it groweth in whete
this herbe is hote and drye.

¶ *Diagantia.*

¶ This is named Diagaunce fe-
mell / it hath leues lyke to Rewe /
but it hath whyte spectes, it hath
a euen stalke the lengthe of .ij. cu-
bites / and it bereth scde as it were
a cluster of Grapes, and they be
yelow it groweth in moyste pla-
ces / the vertue is yf it be stam-
ped / and medled with oyle and
C. iij. put

put into the eyes of a man it shall
do awaye the akynge therof. Also
the moze therof & the moze of the
whyte Onyon stamped therewith
and tempered with Hony, it healeth
al woundes that the Canker hath
be rylen in. Also who scoteth hys
hādes with y moze, if it be in May
without doute he may take aduers
they shal nat benym him Also the
ioyce destroyeth the darkenes a-
bout a mānes eyes, if they be anoin-
ted therewith. Also yf the ioyce be
dronked with wyne it destroyeth
lechery, and it is moyste and colde.

Hic incipit littera. C. Et primo
de Clenacampana.



Clenacampana is cal-
led hoꝛmelme, the ver-
tue of thys herbe is thys
yf a mā haue waggige
tethe and he eate of thys
herbe/they shall fasten agayne it
helpeth a man to make water yf it
be

be dronken it deliuereth a woman
of a dede chyld / it is good for the
cough it hardeth a mānes wombe
it is hote and moyste.

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


Thys herbe is called endiue or
southistell/hys vertue is yf y ioyce
therof be medled with hote water
& dronken it helpeth the stoppyng
of the mylte and of the lyuer. It is
good to heale the yeloweyll and
y feuer tertian. It is good for hote
pouumes and for to swage greete
betes of the lyuer & of the stomake
and it is colde and moyste.

Cruca.




Thys herbe is named Shyz-
wyte Thys herbe hath leues lyke
to Wyllerin but they be not so longe
& it hath a greater moze, his ver-
tue is/the leues be good to heale a
mannes mouth / yf it be holden
longe therein. Also the ioyce of this
herbe sodden & afterwarde dronken

C. v.






it

It destroyeth the blacke colour.
 Also this herbe ofte used styzech a
 man to lechery and to make water
 Also the moze stamped and med-
 led with oyle and hony clenseth a
 mannes chyne yf it be anoynted
 therewith. Also the ioyce therof
 Drunken deliuereth man and wo-
 men of the cough / for it is hote
 and drye.    

 **Eutrasia.**



 This herbe is called Eutrasia /
 it is good for eyes and hath a lyt-
 tell ragged lefe.  


 **Ebullus.**

 This herbe is called walwozte /
 it hath leues like to Elder leues
 it hath a longe stalke / the vertu of
 this herbe is good to destroye the
 dyspely / scabbes and tetters and it
 draweth awaye wycked humours
 out of a man, this herbe is hote
 and drye.    


 **Edera.**


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 This herbe is called Iuy / this
 herbe is lyke to bypā, & vertu ther-
 of is. If it be sodē in wyne, tye it be
 thicke / & thā lay it al hote to a bot-
 che & it shall breke it. Also yf thou
 haue any akynng i thy hed take the
 ioyce therof & oyle of roses & white
 wine & medle it to gither & anointe
 thy hed therwith and thou shalt be
 hole therof.  **Edera terrestris.**

 This is an earth Iuy / it hath
 leues lyke to Catmynt but they be
 not so much / and hath a redy flo-
 wer / & vertue of this is yf it be so-
 den in swynes grece / it is a good
 oyntment for all maner aches.

 **Enfozbyum**

 This is called Clary / this her-
 be hath leues like to Sauge but &
 leues be broder & rounder, his ver-
 tue is, yf he be put in porage it wyl
 make the fleshe tender.

 **Ellebozus albus.**

 This Pellyter of Spane / or
 longe

longewoꝛte. Thys herbe hathe le-
 ues much lyke to pedilio, but they
 be not so moch apt without/ and it
 hathe a flower as it were a Pars-
 neb, hys vertue is if he be put into
 the noſerhylls of a man, it wyl
 make hym to neſe. Also it helethe
 ſcabbes, y moꝛphewe, and tetterſ
 Also it purgeth a man of wycked
 colours of the ſlewme/ and of the
 Emerodes if he be layde to y place
 that is deſeaſed. Also for the toꝛthe
 ache it is good yf it be lodde in A-
 ſell and kepe it as hote as he maye
 ſuffer in his mouth and it is good
 to purge a mannes ſtomake and
 wombe. Also the powder therof
 putte in gruell ſhall ſee woꝛmes
 and the ioyce medled with mylke
 ſeeth ſyes/ it is hote and drye.

Elleborus niger.

Thys is called Pedelyon hys
 leues be much lyke to longe woꝛ-
 te/ but they be nat ſo wyꝛte, and it
 hathe

hathe a byode flower and a blacke
 cote, his vertue is yf it be made in
 powder it wyl deſtroy a ſce rattes
 and thys herbe is hote and drye.

Eupatica.

Thys herbe is called lyuerwoꝛt hys
 vertu is to deſtroy a clenſe y harde-
 nes of y lyuer. Also yf it be medled
 with freſhe gꝛeece it wyl hele woũ-
 des and it is good to hele the feuer
 quartayne.

Erpina.

Thys herbe is named foxgloves.

Ebulus minor.

Thys is the leſſe wolwoꝛte, It
 is ſumwhat like to walwoꝛte and
 the leues be a lytell redder.

Hic incipit littera. f. Et primo
 de Flaminula.



Flaminula is called
 ſperewoꝛte oꝛ Laun-
 cell it is muche lyke to
 a ſpere and in the crop
 of the ſtalke comethe
 many ſayꝛe a ſmal byaunches and
 it hathe

It hath a white flower and it groweth in waters, his vertu is yf a mā haue the feuers and the poūces of hym anoynted therewith he shal be hole & it is good to bzeke botches and byles and it is hote and drye.

¶ *Fumus terre.*

¶ This herbe is called *Fumitory* of erth Gal/his vertue is to comforte a mānes stomake. Also it gynneth a man appetyte to mete and it helpeth a man to make water, & it openeth the lyuer/and it clereth a mānes blode. Also if any drynke therof with whey it destroeth scabbes, yitches, bladders, and wycked humuors, it is hote and drye.

¶ *Fumicretum.*

¶ This is called *Fumicrete*, this herbe hath a longe stalke/and it hath leues lyke to .iii. leued gras and it hath *Coddes*/his vertue is yf it be sodde in water it maketh a man laxatyue without any perell/
and

and it is hote and drye.

¶ *Fragra.*

¶ This is called *Strauberpe*/the vertu of this herbe is good for bleeding mē. Also it is good to destroye the webbe in a mannes eyes. Also the ioyce of it medled with hony & dronked helpeth the mylke.

¶ *Fabaria maior.*



¶ This herbe is called *Brocke*/lepe this herbe hath leues like vnto *Beneste*, & it groweth in waters.

¶ *Fabaria minor.*






¶ This is the lesse *Brockelemp* it hath leues in maner longe and sumwhat rounde lyke to myntes. This is good to lay to a place that is brolen or to be wellpuge if it be fayed with shepes talow.

¶ *Filix.*


¶ This herbe is named *Ferne*/of this be .iii. spyes / The fyrste as *Pompody*, the secōde is *Osmunde* & it groweth in dyches and wooddes /

des/and it hathe a grete moze/as
pynapples/it is good to hele bro-
ken bones / The.iii.is Euforne/ &
it groweth in walles/and Polpo-
dy groweth in Okes, it is good to
make a man laxatyue. This ferne
groweth in woddes/it is good to
hele the podagre. And it maketh
synowes stronge. : : *

 Filipendula.


 This herbe is called Dypwozte,
the vertue of it wyll destroye the
wycked wyndes about a mannes
lyuer and his mylte and it is good
to destroye the stone, it is hote and
drye. : : : : *

 Feniculum.


 This herbe is called Fenell or
Fenkel, the vertue of this herbe is
thus if the sede be dyled it is good
and comforteth the stomake it ope-
neth the stoppyng of the raynes &
of the bladder. Also þe ioyce is good
to do awaye the webbe of the eyes
of a man

of a man and it be dronken wyth
wyne and water, it is good to do a-
waye all maner of benym. Also the
ioyce dropped in the eres of a man
it wyll see wormes in a man. And
also þf it be dronken wyth wyne it
wyll bryke the dropsy and all ma-
ner swellynge and kepeth hym fro
castynge, and if it be dronken with
wyne and water /it maketh a wo-
mans mylke to encrease. Also þf it
be medled wyth oyle it is good to
hele a mannes yerde that is swell-
len. And this herbe is hote and drye.


 Saxifragus.

 This herbe is named Herte-
woode /hys vertue is þf it be pow-
ned & layde to a soze /it wyll hele it.

 Feniculus poeticus.

 This is called Worme sede/ It
is good to destroy wormes i a ma-
nes body/ this herbe is hote & drye.

 Febrifuga.

 This is named Fetherfop/hys
D.i. vertue

vertue is to cōmforte a mānes sto-
 make / it is good to alwage þ̄ axes
 cotidiā / the crampe, and to temper
 it that cōmeth of colde stomakes.
 Also it is good to lay to a soze that
 is bytten with venemous bests. It
 wyll hele it shortly and it be layde
 therto. Also if it be tempered wth
 Asell it wyll do awaye the Mo-
 phewe. Also yf it be stamped and
 layde to a wounde in the which be
 broken bones, it shal bring the bro-
 ken bones to gyther and hele thē /
 & the rote therof is good to stoppe
 the bloody mēson / And thys herbe
 is hote and drye.

¶ Filago

¶ Thys herbe is called Felde wor-
 te oꝛ Moze worte it is a lytell herbe /
 and it groweth in whete.

¶ Flamenula.

¶ Thys is called the lesse. Spere
 worte, thys herbe hath smal leues
 lyke gras / but it is sharpe lyke a
 spere

spere and it groweth in fyldeg / þys
 vertu is if a heed be cut it wyll hele
 it anone.

¶ Hic incipit littera .G. et primo
 de gracia dei maioꝝ.



Gracia dei maioꝝ / thys
 herbe is called y moze
 Gracia dei.

¶ Granum.

Thys is Gromell oꝛ
 Lyche wale þ̄ vertu therof is good
 for the stone / and for all euylles in
 the bladder. Thys herbe is hote
 and drye.

¶ Genestula.

¶ Thys herbe men do call it Ge-
 nestre oꝛ brome it hath leues lyke
 to Spygetuyll / and it hath a ye-
 lowe flower his vertue is to knytte
 bones and synowes to gyther.

¶ Gencianus.

¶ Thys herbe that me do cal Fel-
 worte oꝛ Balmoyne / þys vertue
 is yf it be dronken with water and

D.ii.

hony

and hony it helpeth the swellynge
in a mānes body / in his stomake /
a it is good for venemous bestes /
a it deliuereth a woman of a deade
chylde, it is hote and dry.

✿ Galanga.

¶ This is named Galingale / the
vertu of this herbe is thus, it com-
forteth the stomake & maketh hym
well to degeste hys mete / and vn-
byndeth and letteth oute wycked
wyndes of a mannes body.

✿ Granum solis agrestis.

¶ This is called wylde Gromell
it is sumwhat lyke to oher Grom-
mell / but the seide thereof is sum-
what gray it groweth in dytches,
it is good for the stone.

✿ Gladiolus.

¶ This herbe is called Gladon
the vertue of it is good to make a
man to caste.

Hic

✿ Hic incipit littera. D. et primo
de Herba cruciata.



Herba cruciata is a her-
be that uien cal Crom-
wozte this herbe hathe
littell leues and a smal
stalke wyth whyte flo-
wers / and it is lyke to a crosse / this
is good to hele woundes.

✿ Herba cristofori masculi.

¶ This is called Cristofer the
male it hathe leues lyke to y Crou-
sop / but they be moze whyte and
not fully so longe / it hathe yelow
flowers / hys vertue is to hele the
Epulence and the frensy.

✿ Herba Cristofori femini.

¶ This is named Cristofer femaie
it hathe leues lyke to herbe Peter /
but they be nat in all so whyte and
it groweth muche by the waters
syde it hath a longe stalke.

✿ Herba walteri.

¶ This is Herbe walter / it hathe
leues

D. iii.

leues lyke to perſy and the leues
be ſūwhat thicke fatte and ſēder.

☞ *Herba Roberti.*

☞ *Thys* is named herbe Robert/
it hath leues lyke to herbe Benet/
and it hath small flowers lyke to
purple colour/and it hath a ſtrōg
ſauour/hys vertue is to heale wou-
des/ꝑ powder of it wyl ſee cākers.

☞ *Herba Martis.*

☞ *Thys* is called *Moxtagon*. It
hath leues lyke to the capitall let-
ter *M*. and ſome brāiches hath
ix. leues and ſome x. & ſome moze.

☞ *Maſtucca regia.*

☞ *Thys* is named woderose / ꝑ
the moze therof be ſtamped and
dronken with wyne / it wyl heale a
ſoze in the mouth. Alſo the ſede ſtā
ped & dronken with ſtrong Ale
wyl ſtaunche the flux and make
the wombe harde.

☞ *Herbe Petri,*

☞ *Thys* is named the Couſloppe.
Herba

☞ *Herba Iohannis.*

☞ *Thys* is called ſaynt Iohan-
nes woꝛte the vertue of it is thus/
if it be put in a mannes houſe ther
ſhal come no wycked ſpyrite t̄heri.

☞ *Hic incipit littera. I. et primo
de Iulquiamus.*

Iulquiamus is *Hens*
bane / h̄tuc is good
foꝛ goutte. / and name-
ly thole ꝑ come of me-
lancoly. Alſo the ſede
therof and the ſede of Humlocke
medled to gyther & a canoell made
therof / oz bꝛent vpon a tyle ſtone/
and let the ſmoke go bp into a mā
nes mouthe in eſpecial among the
tethe, and it wyl ſee woꝛmes. Alſo
the rotes be good foꝛ ꝑ cothe ache.
Alſo the toyce therof is good foꝛ al
woundes. Alſo it ſwagethe the
coughe and ꝑ hore poſtume, And
the hore *Podager*. Alſo the ſede of
D. iii. *thys*

th^s herbe shulde be gathered in the monethe of Auguste. Thys herbe is colde and drye.

✿ Flopus

¶ Th^s herbe is called Flope. His vertue is yf a man take the ioyce therof/and put it in hys mouthe it wylle hele all maner of euils in the mouthe. Also it sleeth woymes in a mannes wombe & maketh it neshe. Also if it be dꝛoken grene oꝛ i powder/it maketh a man wel colozed/it is hote and drye.

✿ Ireos.

¶ Thys herbe is called Saue/ it hath leues much lyke vnto the flowerdelyce/and it hath a whyte flower/it groweth in water /the vertue of it is good to hele the skynge of synowes. Also yf it be dꝛonken wyth wyne oꝛ ale/ it wylle destroye wycked humours i a mānes bꝛeste and the coughe. Also it destroyeth the

the crampe / it heleth the bytynge of benemous bestes. Also yf a woman haue a deed chylde within her it wylle delyuer her without perel/it is hote and drye.

✿ Iris.

¶ Thys herbe is called Flowerdelyce, this is lyke to an herbe that is called Saue almoste in all fetures / but the flower is moꝛe pnde blewe/ this herbe groweth in water and gardyns. It is of the same vertue that Saue is of.

✿ Iarus.

¶ Thys herbe is named Cocko-
pyntel thys herbe hath leues lyke
Mercury & a flower lyke to Dia-
gance and it is bytter and pꝛy-
kynge vpon the tonge /his vertue
is yf a mā haue any swellinge vꝑo
the tonge oꝛ any swellinge aboute
his eres/take the herbe and seethe
it with Tuberosetibus in wyne
and oyle and with comyn & make
D.v. a playster

a playster therof and lay it to hys
eares & it wyl make him hole. Also
take the knobbes of the rote, and
dye them and clense the, and they
haue vertue to make a man latatp
ue yt it be constypulatpue. Also yf
thou wyl make the face whyte and
clere take the powder of the rotes
and laye it in rose water, and set it
agaynst the sonne tyll it be consu-
med Do so twise oz thysle, thā rub
be thy face with þ powdet, oz what
other place thou wyl, to frete a
wayc the superfluite of the fleshe/
Thys herbe is hote and drye.

¶ *Jalia nigra.*

¶ Thys is called Madefelon oz
bulwede oz knapwede.

¶ *Jalia alba.*

¶ Thys is called Colegras oz wyl-
detamp, it is good for clensynge
of a mannes lynnes.

¶ *Jpia maioz.*

¶ Thys is named Pimpernell, it
haty

hathe leues lyke to Chcken mete
it is good to hele woundes, and to
destroie benym and to hele a man
of the postume & to hele soze eyes.

¶ *Jpia maioz.*

¶ Thys herbe is called Cheké mete

¶ *Jacinetus rusticus.*

¶ Thys herbe is called Blewebe
tyme oz andode oz Kanbowe,

¶ *Hic incipit littera .A. et primo
de herba Lanisticum.*



Quage thys herbe is
called / hys vertue is
muche in the lede / the
moze therof is good
to be dronken with
wyne to hele a mannes stomake, &
for other euellles within a mā, and
for to make good degeyson, it is
hote and drye.

¶ *Lingua ceruina.*

¶ Thys is called Herres tonge, the
vrtu of it is good to ripe a postume
and

bycke it if it be soden with oyle of
Roses and a playster made therof,
and if it be dronken with wyne or
ale/it wyll harden a mannes wom-
be and it is good for the coughe/
and it is hote and drye.

Lilium.

[T]his is called the Lylly/the ver-
tue of this is yf it be stamped with
calowe & oyle and a playster made
therof and layde to a place there
as the postume is it shall rype it &
make it to bycke. Also take a great
quante of the rotes and the seede
of the Docke/ & the more of Loua-
che and put all these in wyne and
oyle the space of .ix. dayes and af-
terwarde sethe it and cense it /and
do thereto weye and make therof an
oyntment and that is good to hele
the soze & the hardnes of the mylke
Also the ioyce thereof is good to
hele the venym of adders. Also lay
the ioyce therof to a wounde that is
byttten

byttten and it wyll hele it /also take
the rotes and roste them and tem-
per them wyth oyle of olyue / and
laye it to a place that is byent /and
it wyll hele it . Also thys herbe is
good for many other thynge and
deseases if it be dronken wyth ale/
wyne or water. Also it helet and
conforteth muche a mannes syno-
wes. The vertue of thys herbe is
in the Mozes , and thys herbe is
hote and drye.

Ligustum.

[T]his herbe is called pymrose/
this herbe is good to potage. Also
the ioyce putte in a mannes nose it
wyll destroy the Megrym.

Lingua bouis.

[T]his is called Langdebefe the
vertue of this herbe is good to do
away the red coloure of a mā . Also
if it be dronken it dothe awaye the
Cardiacle and other wycked hu-
mours in a mannes longes . Also
the

the ioyce of th^s herbe broken with
hote water, maketh a man to haue
a good mynde and good wytte, th^s
muste be gathered in June o^r in
July, it is hote and drye

¶ *Lingua serpentis maior.*

¶ Thys is called Adders tonge,
this herbe hath leues lyke to Asfo
dyll, but they be more grene / and
also more sharpe in the ende / thys
muste be gathered in Apryll.

¶ *Lingua serpentis minor.*

¶ Thys is called the lesse adder
tonge, thys herbe hath leues som
what lyke to Pygyl, and it hath
a yelow flower and out of the stal
ke cometh many braunches and it
groweth in woodes.

¶ *Lingua canis.*

¶ Thys is called Hundestonge/
it is good to destroye the coughe &
the postume, and it wyl ripe a boch

¶ *Lingua hircina.*

¶ Thys is called Buckehorne o^r
Swineskerce

Swineskerce thys herbe hath le
ues faltered as it were an Hertes
horne / and groweth creppng by
the ground, and it hath a lytell
whyte flower, it groweth in water
y places.

¶ *Lupinus.*

¶ Thys is called Luppne, th^s her
be hath leues lyke to fyue leued
gras, the Luppne hath .vi. leues,
and it hath a whyte flower, and a
whyte seede that is somewhat brot
and it bereth cods somewhat like
but to Bene coddes, the vertue of
thys herbe is thus, yf a man haue
wormes in hys wombe, take the
seede and make mele therof and the
ioyce of wormwode and hony and
make a cake therof and ete it, and
it vnbryndeth the stoppyng of the
lyuer & of the milke. Also it is good
to destroye y^e droply. Also take the
same mele & the ioyce of Arismet
& make therof paste and laye it to
the eares

thy eyes and it shall kyll the wormes within them / or yf thou make a cake & bete it / it wyl do the same Also yf thou wyl take the ioyce of Leeks and temper it with the mele and put it in thy eyes / it shal clense them fro all wycked humours and synkynge. Also take the same mele and temper it with oyle and it wyl bryke and curre all maner of postumes / this herbe is hote and drye.

Labrum veneris.

This is called Sowthystell / the vertue of this herbe is thus / yf a man haue a hote leuer / take the ioyce thereof & temper it with hote water and let him drynke it and he shal be hole. Also if a man haue benym within hym / take this herbe and drye it and make powder thereof and w the powder in good wine and let hym drynke it and it wyl caste vp all the benym / it is hote and drye.

Lauendula

Lauendula.

This is called Lauender, if this be soden in water geue that water to a man that hath the pally and it wyl hele hym, it is hote and drye.

Lactuca.


This herbe is called Lettysse or slope worthe the vertue of this herbe is thus. If it be eten rawe or soden it engendyth good blode. Also this herbe soden with a lytell Asell and Saffron and than drowen / it helpeth a man that is stopped in the lyuer and in the mylke. Also yf a man maye nat slepe / take the seede of this herbe and stampe it to powder / and temper it with womans mylke and make a playster thereof on lynt, and laye it to the temples of thy heed / and thou shalt slepe well / or els drynke the powder thereof with mylke. Also take the seede & temper it with oyle of Roses, and make a playster

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and

and lay it to the stomake/ and it is
good to destroy the hote postume.
Also drinke the ioyce of this herbe
or pouder of þe seed for it is good to
hele the flyre. But who that vbleth
this herbe ouer muche/it wyll de-
stroy theyr syght, this herbe is colde
and sumwhat moyste.

 *Lactuca siluatica.*







 This is called wylde Lettise/
this herbe hath leues lyke to the
chylsell, and they be sharpe & kene
and it hath a flower of purple co-
loure and it groweth in felde and
in whete. This herbe is hote and
drye.


 *Lactuca leporina.*

 This herbe is called Harechysell/
this herbe hath leues like to Sow
chylsell, but þe leues be nat so ende-
ted/it droppeth mylke the vertu of
this herbe is this If a hare eate of
this herbe in Somer whan he is
madde he shal be hole. Also take this
herbe


herbe and lay it to a mannes syde
whan he slepeth/or els þe he knowe
not therof/and it wyll hele hym of
the feuers.

 *Lollum.*

 This herbe is called Cockle this
herbe hath vertue yf it be dronken
with Radyshe and a lyttell salte/
it is good to hele the Canker/or o-
ther woundes in peryll. Also it is
good to conforthe the stomake and
the liuer. Also it wyll vnbide wo-
mes in a mannes stomake. Also it
helpeth a man to make water, and
it is good for soze eyes. Also sub-
fumingacyon therof wyll make a
woman to bere her chylde without
any peryll or harme. Also it wyll
asswage þe great paynes of akenyng
of the lyuer it is hote and drye.

 *Laparium ruberum.*

 This is called the reed Docke/ yf þe
a man take the ioyce therof & holde

En. it in

it in his mouthe / it wyl swage
the tothe ache. Also yf a man haue
the kynges euill take thys herbe &
sethe it in wyne and strayne it and
gyue hym to drynke and he shal be
hole yf he vse it ofte. Also yf a man
rubbe hym with the ioyce, it dothe
awaye euill ytrenges. Also thys
herbe is good to delyuer wyndes /
that be stopped i a mannes stoma-
ke balkyng. Also thys herbe is good
to make scabbes and botches ripe.
Also it is good to make a man to
haue a hard wōbe, it is hote & dry.

℞ Linum.

℞ This is called Flex / it is good
if a man take the sede therof & seth
it in water, it maketh a man laxa-
tyue, and it is good to make a play-
ster therof for akynges sores. Also
ther is an other spece therof that is
called Custula / it is named in en-
gylishe Dodure / and it growethe
amonge Flex, the vertue of this is
good

good to purge a man of the colour
Also if it be take and a great quan-
tite therof sodden in Myre and
oyle to gyther and a playster made
therof / it is good for the raynes &
for the brest / and for other akynges
lymnes. 20: 22: *: 21: 22:

℞ Lautila.

℞ This is called Lawzell / it wyl
make a man laxatyue & it is good
to purge a man of fleume and of
the colour, it is good for a mā that
may nat eat, for if the ioyce therof
be put in his eres, or yf y sayd her-
be be steyed and a suppositoꝝ be
made therof and layd on cotten, it
wyl hele it, it is hote and drye.

℞ Licozisa.

℞ Thys is named Lycopse, the
roote of this herbe is swete and it
moysteth the kyndely hete of a mā,
and it is good for the coughe. Also
yf it be sodden in water, it wyl de-
stroy a mannes thurst. Also it ma-

℞. 14.

keth

ke the a mannes breste / hys throte
and his loiges / moylt and in good
temper Thys is colde and moylte.

¶ Lappa.

Thys is called Clotes or Burres.

¶ Lappa ameria.

¶ Thys is called a Clote.

¶

¶ De littera .M. Et primo de
Millefolio minore.



Alfole the lesse thys
herbe is called. There
is no defference of kynd
nor virtue bytwene myl-
foly the lesse / and myl-
foly the more / saue the more grow-
eth in gardens / & the lesse in wyld
places they be bothe of one strenght
his vertu shalbe declared in Myl-
fole the more folowynge by letter.

¶ Mercurialis.

¶ Thys is called Mercury / hys
virtu is good yf a man haue akynge
in hys wōbe / gyue hym to drynke
the

the force and he shal be hēle, it wyl
close the stomake and the seoe wyl
do the same. Also the ioyce tempe-
red with whyte wyne is good to
hele soze eyes / and yf a woyme or
other venym haue bytten a man /
take the ioyce and warme it and
washe it. Also yf ther be any woyme
croppen into a mannes eares,
take the ioyce & warme it and put
it into hys eres and he shal be hēle.
Thys herbe is hote and drye.

¶ Mentha.

¶ Thys herbe is called Mynte /
hys vertue is yf it be ofte eten / it
wyl drive woymes i a mānes wōbe.
Also if a man haue boches or other
rennynges or swellynge in hys
heed / take thys herbe and stampe
it and laye it to the soze and it wyl
hele it. Also if a mānes tothe or the
fleshe of y tothe ake or styake, take
thys herbe & seth it i whyte wyne &
in Myzell / and take that lycour and
washe

washe his mouth; therewith, than
take the powder of the herbe and
rubbe wel his tethe therewith, & he
shal haue a swete smellyng mouth
Also take thou this herbe & Aspell
and make sauce, and it wyl make
y to haue a talēt to thy mete. Also
whē there shalbe gyuen any med-
ecyne to destroye venym, it wyl be
good to be giuen with the ioyce of
this herbe, for it hath many ver-
tues and namely for veni/ther be
many spyes thereof and it is hote
and drye. ¶:20:G:¶

¶ Mentana romana.

¶ This is named whyte Mynte,
the vertue therof is the ioyce wyl
see wormes in a mannes wombe.
Also the ioyce wyl see wormes in
the nolethyles of a man. Also the
powder therof caste in a mannes
mete/it shall make him well to de-
fye his mete. ¶*¶*¶

¶ Malua.

This

¶ This herbe is called Malowe /
the vertue of it is good yf the le-
ues be stamped and layde to a mā-
nes stomake it wyl bryke a hote
postume in the begynnyng & els
medle thy herbe with freshe swy-
nes grese and lay it on a hote tyle,
and lay it al hote to the postume &
it shall rype it and bryke it. Also it
is good to destroye the hardenes
of a mannes lyuer and mylte. Also
it wyl make a man laxatpue, and
it is good for playsters/it is colde
and moyste. ¶*¶*¶

¶ Mozell or nyght shadowe.

¶ This herbe is colde & drye in the
ij. degre, the leues, the brāches &
the frute therof be right good, and
beste whan they be grene/they be
good for stoppyng of the Spleen
and the lyuer, & beste for the Han-
delle to drynke the ioyce of it with
a lyttell Ruberte. Also for a postu-
me in the stomake/in the bowels

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
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oz in the lyuer seth the ioyce therof
with barlye water and drynke it.

¶ Mastike.


The gumme is hote and dry i the
ij. degre . It is a gumme of a tree
growyng in a parte of the countre
of Grece / in the latter ende of Uet
the men of that countre styte the
trees and than make the grounde
clene aboute and lay clothes r. ſūe
aboute the trees , oz some other co-
ueryng to kepe the gumme from the
grounde in chosyng of it / to knowe
whiche is beste to take / the beste is
whyte and clere , the whyte colour
is next the best & is medled wth y^e
erth & ſūe iat darke, & best Masti-
ke hath vertu of contrainyng, con-
fortyng cleſſyng & loſyng of humours
deſcendyng fro the heed aboue to
the eyes and to the tethe / and for
the deſeale of the temples made of
and aſcendyng wynd. fro the ſto-
make

make to the heed. Take powder of
Maſtike / with whyte ſwete wyne /
and the whyte of an egge & medle
them well to gyther and ye wyl, ye
may put in frankencence and play-
ſter it to the temples . Also ſethe
Maſtike in water and drynke it &
it wyl comforte well the ſtomake
and make good degeſtyon / and it
comforteth & relaxeth the ſtomake
and put to it ſenell ſede, and it put-
teth out wynde out of the ſtomake.
Also a playſter made of Maſtike
and Sole Armonyake & the whyte
of an egge and vyneger and lay it
on the foſke of the ſtomake oz beſt
it wyl conſtrayne wel the coloryke
panyte. Also ſeth Maſtike i rayne
water and drynke it wth warme wa-
ter and thys medecyne is good for
the flux of y^e wombe that comethe
of a ſharpe lax that was taken be-
foze to ſtoppe hym . And boyle
Maſtike in rayne water oz Roſe
water

water with .ij. oz. .iij. cloues and
 Drynke it warme and that confoz-
 zeth the vomyte and þe flux of the
 wombe that cometh of Charpenes
 and vpolence of the medecine. Also
 Mastike must haue but lytel boy-
 linge for hurtynge of his vertue &
 it shulde be giuen warme, for it co-
 strayneth more whan that it is gy-
 uen warme, than whan it is ouer-
 muche hote.  *  *

 **Magerum.**

This herbe is hote and drye in
 the seconde degre, the flowers and
 leues be bled in medecines, it shulde
 be gathered in somer whā it flowe-
 teth, and drye it in the shadowe. It
 may be kept a yere, it hath vertue
 of consoztynge, of losynge, of con-
 sumynge/and of clenlynge, yf the
 powder of it be drynke in wyne/
 oz els boyle þe powder of it in wine
 & it wyl here well a stomake. Also
 it comtozteth the degetty on. Also
 take

take þe leues and flowers of **Mage-
 rum** and powne the a litel & make
 them hote in a panne, and lay it to
 the greuaunce and it taketh away
 the Dease in the stomake that co-
 meth of wynde. Also for the reume
 in the heed, take this herbe & bynde
 it warme about thy heade. Also it
 dryeth the motyer and consumeth
 the superfluyte of it.  *

Millefoliū maioꝝ, oz parowe.

Lkyng Achilles founde this her-
 be, & with it he heled hys men that
 were wounded with yron, for wou-
 des stampe this herbe with swynes
 grece, and plaister it to the wounde
 and it shall hele it, and the same is
 good for an ache in the breste or syde
 it is good for them that may nat
 pisse, take the ioyce of this herbe
 and byneger & drynke it, and mer-
 uelously it helpeth a wounde/ that
 hath take colde. Stampe this her-
 be in butter and lay it to the wounde
 and

it groweth aboute the Nutmege
as p rynde groweth about the Na
sel nutte, it may be kepte. x. yere in
his vertue, it is consofyrng dyssol
uyage/and cōsumpnyge, the know
lege of fine maces is thus, it shuld
be in coloure lyke to fyne golde or
els like to golde that siluer is gylte
with, the which hath a sharpe ta
lage with a bytternes, & it loketh
lyke to erth, & it is to be refused/
foz it hath no sharpe sauour, foz a
colde stomake that may not desye
noz degeste well, take maces and
boyle them in wyne and dypnke it.
Also a good playster the whiche is
best foz a feble stomake, make pou
der of Mastyke and of maces and
medle them with oyle of roses and
waxe and make a plaister therof &
lay it on the stomake of p seke per
son. Also to clense the Brayne of su
perfluous humours, take a quāti
te of Maces and chewe them well
in thy

in thy mouthe and holde thē there
a whyle, and that shall lose the su
mosite of humours that ryle vp to
the Braynes and purge the super
fluyte of it. Also foz feblenes of the
stomake & p lyuer of a colde cause
and foz p colyke, and foz the disea
ses of the spyrytuall membyres / or
fleume / boyle maces in the ioyce
of Fenel and in the ende of the boy
lynge put in a lytell wyne/ than
straine it and dypnke it foz it is the
best remedye foz the foysayde disea
ses. And foz the ache of the herte /
ble powder of maces in thy meates
and dypnkes. ¶:~:~

¶ Mentha.

¶ This is named p Reed Mynte,
it is hote and drye in the. ii. degre,
and there be. ii. other myntes / but
I meane house mintes, the which
properly is sayde garden myntes,
foz that mooste comonly is in mede
cines bothe grene & drye, foz great
x. i. holssounes

hollesomes it shulde be dyed in a
shadowe place / & so it wyll be kept
a yere in great vertue, to dyscolue
oz lese to consume of hys pper qua
lite and to comfozte of his swete sa
uour, for the stynkyng of y mouth
and filthe of the gums and of the
tethe, washe thy mouthe and gom
mes with vyneger that myntes be
soden i, and after rubbe hym with
the powder of myntes oz with dry
myntes to prouoke the appetyde
whā an impedymēt of the stoma
ke that comethe of colde humours
beyuge in the mouthe of the stoma
ke / make a salve of Myntes and
vyneger with a lytell Myrrour
and peper and vse it well agaynst
domytes that comethe of feblenes
of the stomake oz of colde causes /
Sethe myntes in Sauge water &
vyneger and dype it in and laye it
on the mouth of the stomake with
the Myntes that be sodden therein


Also

Also gyue to the pacient to eate of
the same Myntes to the syncope
ne and feblenes i feuer and with
out feuers / oz of medecyne / oz of
what cause it be / stampe Myn
tes with vyneger and a lytle wyne
yf the pacient be withoute feuer /
and yf he be with feuer / stampe
Myntes with vyneger alone / thā
make a tosse of lower brede and
toste it well tyl it be almoste bzent,
than put it in that lycoure and let
it lye therein tyl it be well soaked /
than put it to his nose and robbe
hys lippes, gums, tethe and re
ples therewith and bynde it to the
pulse baynes of his armes, and let
the pacient eate the moistnes that
is lefte, and swalowe it in. For to
cense the mother / take the tender
croppes of Myntes and seth them
in water oz wyne and playster it
to the share / and to the raynes / a
gayult the cōgeling in a womānes


iiij.

beste /

beste, take þ small stalkes of myn-
 tes and sethe them in wyne & oyle
 and playster it about þ tetes. Also
 be it knownen that whan any mede-
 cyne shulde be gyuen agaynste be-
 nyin: it shulde be gyuen with the
 ioyce of myntes / for myntes haue
 a manner of strength of drawynge
 out of benym / or els it shulde be
 with wyne that myntes haue ben
 soden in for stoppyng of the splen
 and the lyuer and of the wayes of
 the vyne of a colde humoz and of
 a hote without feuer. Take the
 ioyce of myntes alone or myntes
 soden in wyne or the ioyce of myn-
 tes medled with hony, and gyue it
 to the pacient. To see wormes in
 the belly, take the ioyce of myntes
 and drynke it and thou shal be hole
 Also þ ioyce of myntes sleeth wor-
 mes in the ercs. For a tetter take
 the ioyce of myntes and put therto
 Byrnstone and byneger & medle
 them

them well to gyther and anoynte
 the tetter therwith and thou shal
 be hole. For a wounde in the heate
 stampe myntes and lay the on the
 wounde. &c. For payne in the syde
 take myntes and seth them in olde
 wine or ale & with it stampe. xbiij.
 graynes of peper and drynke it in
 the nyght / there be but lyttell dyffe-
 renc: betwene thys mynte and the
 ro-mayne mynte / thys is the gar-
 den mynte. 

C. littera et primo de Mus-
 muscata.


 Nymegge is hote and
 drye in the .ij. degre, the
 beste groweth in ynde /
 and in the tyme of hys
 tpyng it is gathered,
 and .viij. yere it may be kepte / they
 that be playne & heuy after they
 kynde be beste to be chosen. And
 whan they be broken they fall nat
 to powder but they haue a swete
 f. iij. and

and sharpe fauour / yf they lacke
 any of these aforesayde, they be nat
 good for medecynes / he hath ver-
 tue of confortyng by hys swete fa-
 uour / for coldnes and feblenes of
 digestyon of the stomake take in
 the mornynge halfe a Nutmegge or
 a hole Nutmegge and cate it. Also
 for a colde stomake that is feble of
 digestyon and for the lyuer gyue
 hym wyne & Nutmegges is boy-
 led i. Also for the same boyle Nut-
 megges and Mastike i wyne and
 drinke it, this is good for ydeseases
 in the stomake and i the bowelles
 to breke wynde. Also i the recoue-
 ryng of a syknes to comfote the
 spyrytuall membris / boyle Nut-
 megges and mastike in wine and
 drynke it. Also take a Nutmegge
 and smell to it / and it wyll cōfote
 the spyrytuall membris.

¶ Rapo.

¶ This is named Rauewe / it de-
 syeth

syeth grounde that is fatty / and
 sandy, it growethe beste in suche
 groude. The pperte of the Rau-
 wes is, he chaūgeth & turneth into
 rape, and after that it turneth into
 Rauewe. The beste do growe in
 grounde well donged and turned.
 Also it proued well in places that
 stuble of corne hath bene in y same
 yere. If they growe to thyrcke
 plucke some bp here and there / so
 that the other may proue y better,
 and those that ye plucke bp set the
 in voyde places. They shulde be
 sowne in the ende of July and in
 Auguste, the beste sauored Rau-
 wes be they y be longe & strayght
 and nat ouer great nor byaunces
 in the rootes, but an strayght
 roote. Also of Rauwes may be
 made a passynge good meate with
 a lyttell salte and byneger hony
 and mustarde & with swete spyses
 & it maye be made wpythout spyses
 R. iij. Rauwes

Nauwes be hotte in the seconde
 degre and they noysse muche /
 but they be harde of digestyō, they
 make the fleshe softe and wyndy /
 but lesse wynde than rapes. Ther-
 fore whan ye sethe them in water /
 caste that water awaye / and sethe
 them in an other water and so hys
 harde substance is tempered by þ
 and so menely betwene good and
 euill they gendre noysse, for
 they that be thus wel sodden be nat
 harde of digestyon, they make one
 wyndy / and they make stoppyng
 of baynes & of poores but yet they
 be profitable if they be sodden twyse
 and both the waters to be caste a-
 waye / and they to be sodden with
 the thyrd with fatte fleshe.

¶ *Hic incipit littera D. Et primo
 de Olibano.*

O Libanum is colled Franken-
 sence. Thys is hote and drye
 in the .iiij. degre / it is a gumme of
 a tre

a tre in Inde the cleneste is the
 beste. Also there be trees of that
 kynde growynge in Camaske, but
 not clere nor good for it is darker
 of coloure, therfore it is to be refu-
 sed in medecyne, it hath the vertue of
 consofytynge by hys swete sauour.
 Also of closynge and constraynyng
 for the tothe ache that cometh of su-
 perfluyte of humours of the heade
 and specially by þ baynes, make a
 playster of powder of frankensce
 wyth wyne & the whyte of an egge
 medle them to gyther and playster
 them aboute the temples. Also to
 stoppe the wayes of the baynes a-
 boue / take frankensence and che-
 we it well in thy mouthe and that
 shall stoppe and let the flux of hu-
 mours coming downe to the nose-
 thylls Take pilles of frankensce
 & swalowe them downe in the morn-
 ynge, than boyle frankensence in
 wyne and at euen drinke that to a
 f. v. thou

Hauewes be hotte in the seconde
 degre and they noyssh the muche /
 but they be harde of degestyō, they
 make the fleshe softe and wyndy /
 but lesse wynde than rapes. Ther-
 fore whan ye sethe them in water /
 caste that water awaye / and sethe
 them in an other water and so hys
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 & swalowe them downe in the mo-
 rninge, than boyle frankensence in
 wyne and at euen drinke that to ha
 f. v. 1908

and Constantyne sayeth that they
be frutes of trees growyng i Jude,
and some say that Peper is made
blacke with brennyng in the fyre
for whan it is gathered there be
great multitude of serpētes about
it & therfore they put it in the fyre
to brenne the serpentes & be about
it/the Sarasyns dry it in an ouen
by cause it shall nat encrease in an
other lande. But of all the Peper
the blacke is the beste/& the moſte
holſome. Take peper and put it in
to the noſetrylles and it wyl make
the to neſe and ſethe peper and ſpyg
ges in wyne and drynke it and it
wyl clenſe the ſpyrytual members
of tounge humours and it is good
for the poſe that is taken of colde.
Alſo for y ſame eate powder of pe-
per with ſpygges. Alſo powder of
peper put in a mannes mete com-
forteth the degeſtion of y ſtomake
Alſo put lōg peper i a roſted apple
and

and eate it/& it ſhall comforte the
degeſtyon. Alſo powder of peper
wyl freate away deade fleſhe or
proude fleſhe, & longe peper com-
forteth moze thā blacke. Alſo blacke
peper hath the vertue of loſynge
comforynge and of drywynge/it
clenſeth the ſpyrytual members of
colde ſlewe & viciuous humours
and beſte whan the powder of it is
eten with ſpygges for he hath great
ſtrenght of hetynge and comfory-
tynge the ſtomake prouokynge ap-
petyte, but to Sanguyne and Co-
lopyke pſons it is not good to vſe
peper/for it dryeth & breneth blode
and it engendyeth leper and other
euill ſykenes / Plato ſayth that
peper is foule to ſee in ſyght with-
out blacke & within with a ſharpe
ſauour and a ſwete odour, littel in
quantyte and muche in vertue.

¶ Hympernell.

This herbe is good to heale woundes
beg

the coughe boyle thys herbe i wyne
and drynke it luke warme and thys
wyl make one to pylse well. For
the dyssease in the bely stampe thys
herbe with comyn and water and
lay it hote to the navel and lightly
it shalbe hole, for the disseases in þ
lyner stampe thys herbe and tem-
per it with water and vinegar and
drynke the ioyce therof/and thou
shalbe hole. For an ache i þ legges
or armes take the leues of elder &
Bulluoll to all of euery lyke much
and stampe them to gyther well &
playster it to the greuaunce/and it
is good for þ feuer tertian/ys thou
take the brāunches of this herbe &
wrappe it in a good Locke of woll
and gyue it to the patient and let
hym smell therto/before the feuer
come on hym, and that shal do him
greate ease. For the hed ache take
thys herbe & bynde it fast rounde a
bout the hed and anone it leaceth
the

the ache. Also ys a woman haue a
deed chyld in her wombe, stampe
thys herbe and gyue her to drynke
with olde wyne, and she shalbe de-
lyuered of it by the grace of good,
For the crampe drynke the ioyce
with byneger fastynge and it wyl
put it awaye.

**¶ Pencedanum vel Feniculus
porcinus.**

Thys herbe is called mayth Hog-
ges fenel or mayden widdes thys her-
be is hote and drye in the .iii. degre
whan thys herbe is gathered for
medecynes the rote is better than
the herbe, whan the rotes be gathe-
red they maye be kepte all a yere, it
hath a purgynge vertue, it is good
for the strangulyon or the flux and
good for stoppyng of the splen &
the lyuer, boyle thys herbe in wine
or water and gyue it to the patient
to drynke. Also sethe it in cye and
wyne and playster it to the Wart &
G. i. it wyl

grene and nat dye. To make a searope to styre the luste of the body and for to comferte the degestyon take rotes of Parsneppes & seethe them wel in water, than take them out and caste awaye the water and the rotes that be in gobbett; boyle the againe in water thā put therto hony well clarified and lette them boyle vnto the thynkenes of hony and cōtinuallly styre it that it cleue nat to the vessell and in the myble of the boylunge, put in almondes yf ye haue them, in the ende of the boylunge put in, gynger, galyngale, and a lyttell Peper Nutmegge & other swete sauored spyes. Also Parsneppes may be sowne in December / January and March in fat grounde depe doulun and lose grounde and beste digged, and they be somewhat wyndy. Boyle them in two waters but caste awaye the fyrste water. Also there is Parsneppe

sneppe that is sumwhat reed / the whiche may be eten both rawe and soden & with the and Auewes together ye maye make a very good meate and sayre and red in colour the whiche be sodden as Parsneppes be.

* * * Plantago.

Thys is called Plantaine, it is colde and drye in the .ii. degre / for heed ache take Plantayne & binde it aboute thy necke & the ache shal go out of thy heed. Also for Deseases in the body, seethe thys herbe in good lycour what ye wyll and drie to drynke it and it shal cleanse the mawe & the other inwardes. Also for hym þ bledeþ at the nose gyue hym to drynke the force of it and it shal cease lyghtly. Also yf þ body of any man be wexen hard, stampe thys herbe with grece and make a playster of it & laye it on the hardnes and lyghtly it shalbe softe and

G.iiij. make

make it hole. Also for bytting of a
serpent, take this herbe and drinke
it with wyne. Also for the disease
in the mouth take the ioyce of this
herbe & holde it longe in thy mouth
and eate the leues of this herbe, for
hym that maye nat well pisse sethe
this herbe and drinke it. Also for a
rotten humour in the breste and a-
bout the herte / take the ioyce of
this herbe the wayght of .x. lb. and
medle it with honny and gyue hym
to eate a sponesfull at one tyme and
that shall purge the breste, for ache
in the fete, take this herbe with vy-
neger and drinke it. Also it healeth
woundes and cleareth the fylth out
of woundes. Also it swageth can-
kerynge and stauncheth the men-
cyons bothe with drinke and with
playsters made with pouder of Ar-
monayke and of sadragowne and
Barly medled w the whyte of eg-
ges made in a playster & layde to
soze

soze, for the Canker and the payne
in the gu nes, take the ioyce thereof
and medle it with honny and vyne-
ger and pouder of Alum and that
shall he the Canker in the mouth.
Also for the fevers stampe .iiij. Ro-
tes of Plantayne, & temper it with
water and gyue it hym to drinke
that hath the fevers and he shall be
hole / for the Jaundes stampe Pla-
tayne and Lettyle togyther & tem-
per them with vynegar and make
a playster there of and lay it to thy
ryght syde & vse it tyl thou be hole,
and it is good for þe bitige of an ad-
der drinke the ioyce of it & lay the
substaunce of the herbe to the soze
for the same hange the rote of plan-
tayne about the necke of the pacy-
ent and meruelously it helpeth, for
the potager and for the disease in þe
synowes stape the leues of it with
a lyttell salte and playster it wyl
thereto and meruelously it helpeth.
G. iij. Pozrum

¶ Porrum.

¶ Chys is called a leke / it is hote and drye i the .ii. degree / it despyeth louse grounde and fat and well dugged in that they shall beste profyete in hote places and tēperate They maye be sown in Decembze in tēparate places & colde. They maye be sown in January February & Marche whan the ground is well dygged and dyght and it maye be sown by it selfe or medled with o-ther sedes of herbes in good fatte grounde well dygged and turned a boue it wth a good dōge, this sede wolde be sown somewhat thicke / and whan they be somewhat sprōge take vp the greatest lekes & plante them in fozowes but take awaye none of theyr rotes whan ye set the in y^e fozowes / but whā ye set them with a dyble / than cut awaye the rotes almoste vp to the leke heed & awaye the vppermost of the leues, they

they maye be plantyd in, July, Auguste September & October, they be much profytable in March and in Apryl nexte folowynge / but in poure plantynge you shall nat seke after late softe grounde foz menely ground that is beste & that grounde that is almoste drye is beste, there is .ii. maner of settyng of lekes / one is in fozowes, as is the maner in Bonony and the fozowe muste be fro the other a spāne large and the lekes must be set in the fozowe iiii. fpyngers byede eche fro other & whā ye make the next fozowe caste the erthe on the lekes and trede it downe softly with thy fote. The .ii. maner is thus whā the ground is wel dygged & raked than make holes with a greate dibbl a euery hole fro other a large spā moze i w^{ch} the lekes must be let in, but y^e plant thy holes noz put erth on them but let the be vpo .iii. wekes, w^{ch} a

bes growe among them pul them
 vp & kepe the clene fro wedes, Dy-
 uers auctours say that the Lekes
 that be thus planted be better thā
 any other, oꝝ they may be well plā-
 ted amonge great onyons & whan
 the onyons be taken awaye, wede
 the lekes and you shal fynde them
 fayze and good, & whan ye plucke
 vp leue some i a place / & leue some
 foꝝ seede the which seede may be kept
 ii. yere and it be hanged vp in the
 bulles / lekes be beste soden, oꝝ. iij.
 tynges walshed befoꝝe thy beate /
 Foꝝ a wounde take lekes and stam-
 pe them well with hony and lay it
 to the wounde and it wyll hele it,
 foꝝ þe cough take þe ioyce of lekes &
 vse to drynke it, foꝝ þe same take þe ioy-
 ce of lekes & medle it with womā's
 milke and vse to drynke it, & it wel
 clense the longes of all byrdes.

¶ Fracturac solidat duritiaque re-
 laxat.

Vul

vulnusque abpositum: ceto cum sale
 claudit.

Diuretrum.

Thys is called Pelleter / It is hote
 & dry i þe .iij. degre, the rote is vscd
 in medecynes, fyue yere he may be
 kept in þe vertu, & knowe ye wel þe
 þe sharpnes is nat knowe, it shulde
 be powned & holden i þe mouth. He
 hath stru of losyng & drawing & of
 consuming To make agargarisme
 take pelleter & fygges & boile the i
 byneger oꝝ swete wyne & it wyl cle-
 se þe byain of supfluite of flume also
 yf it be chewed in the mouth it hel-
 peth þe palsy in þe tonge. Also foꝝ þe
 Palsy & the potager stāpe it & seth
 it i wyne & ople & playster it to the
 greuāce thys playster helpeth much
 therfoꝝe if thou may haue grene pe-
 liter stāpe it & lay it i lokige i wyne
 xv. daies, & after boile it wel & put
 therto were & ople foꝝ thys is þe beste
 opyntinēt foꝝ all þe toylayde deseales
 Papauer

¶ Papauer.

¶ Thys is called Poppy, it is cold and drye. There is .ii. maners of them. The whyte Poppy is colde and moyste and it is good to cause one to slepe. The seede therof well gathered maye be kepte .x. yere / it hath vertue of cleinsynge It is put in medecynes wpyth a detempnacyon as the seede maye be receyued of whyte Poppy or blacke. For to prouoke a slepe / make a playster of eche of them or one of them with womans mylke and the whyte of an egge and laye it to the temples. The woman of Salerne gaue to yonge chyldren the Poppy but they wolde gyue them no blacke Poppy for it made them to muche heuy. Also for a hote postume in the begynnyng and for charynge of the lyuer take the seede of whyte Poppy or esle the herbe of it and stampe it and medle it wity oyle of Roses

and

and playster it to þe greuance. Also for drynes in feuer etyke and in o- ther feuers take a hete oyle of byo- let medled wpyth powder of Poppy seede, and anoynte the small of the backe ther wity.

¶ Polipodium.

¶ Thys is called Pollipody, it is hote in the .iiij. Degre and drye in the seconde degre. Thys Pollipody is a ferne that groweth vpon okis or on walles or stones but the Pol- lybody that groweth on okys is the best, Gather the rotes of it and lay it a day in the sonne chole that is grene and that whiche appereth drye whan it is broken it is to be re- fuled, he hath vertue of dissoluing of drawyng of purginge fleume & specially melācoly, wherfoze com- munely he is put in boylunge and to fleumatyke and melancolpous hole men, he is gyuen to preserve theyr helthe / and knowe well that
in the

Drynke pyenp with water & hony
 and do therto powder of Colyan-
 der and this is good for the stoma-
 ke/ for the mylke and for grauel in
 the raynes. Also it is good for wo-
 men for dyuerse. dysleases. Also se-
 the it in whyte whyne and gyue a
 womā to drynke therof and it wyl
 hele her bledde & make her to pisse
 the stone, and it wyl hele her of the
 Hattis. Also Dryenp seide whan it
 is blacke it maketh delyuetaunce
 of the bed of the chylde in her wōbe
 and at euery tyme whan she shall
 vse to drynke it, she muste drynke,
 xv. sedes at one tyme.

*¶ Q. Litera. Et primo de
 Quinquifolio.*



Quynckfolio is colde and
 drye in the seconde degre
 this herbe is good for ache
 in a mannes lymmes/ and
 for ache of the heed/ mouthe/ tong,
 and throte that be so; / .ake and
 lthe

sethe this herbe in wyne and gyue
 the pacient to drynke therof. iij.
 dayes fyrste & laste and he shall be
 hole. Also stampe it and drynke
 the ioyce of it in ale & it wyl cea-
 se the akynge and quawynge of a
 man or woman. Also yf a mā blede
 soze at the nose/ gyue hi to drynke
 the ioyce of it with wyne/ & anoynt
 his hed well with the ioyce of this
 herbe/ and anon the blode shall sta-
 unche. For to see a Canker/ sethe
 it in wyne and the grece of a swyne
 and make a plaister therof and lay
 it on the Canker and it shall see it.
 Also take powder of quynckefoyle
 and medle it with hony and ther-
 with rubbe thy mouth/ tonge/ and
 throte / and the chekes within and
 it wyl purge it well. Also for pop-
 son and bytynge of a serpent take
 the ioyce of Quynckefoyle and
 drynke it with wyne & meruelously
 it resysteth venym.

H. i.

Hic

Mulla is made of water and mele
roset and it may be gyue after the
iii day & it cometh out of the back
foz to cense the stomake of clod hu
mour/giue him mel roset with wa
ter that fenel sede is boyled in put
tyng therin. iiii. graynes of salte/
yf the sycke may take it this shulde
be the quantite of roses and hony.
In vii. pounce of hony put a pou
de of Roses **S**uger roset is made
thus. Take newe gathered Roses
and stampe them ryght smal with
Suger than put it in a glasse and.
xxx. dayes let it stande in the sune/
and styre it well and medle it well
to gyther & so it may be kepte. iiii.
peres in his vertu. The quantite
of **S**uger & Roses shulde be thus/
in. iiii. pounce of **S**uger a punde
of Roses/be hath vertu of cōstray
nyng and comfortyng of the flux
in the wombe/ Take **S**uger roset
and powder of **M**astike of every
one

one a dram /and medle the wel to
gyther and glue it to the seke, after
that glue hi rose water that **M**a
stike and cloues be sodden in. **S**y
rope of Roses is made thus some
do take roses dyght/as it is befoze
sayd and boyle them in water/and
in y water strayned they put **S**u
ger and make a syrope therof/and
some do make it better foz they put
roses i a vessel hauinge a straight
mouth & they put to the roses hote
water and they let it stande a day
and a nyght, and of that water put
tyng to it **S**uger they make syrop
and some do put moze of roses in
the foresaide vessel & moze of hote
water, and let it stāde as is befoze
sayde and so they make areed wa
ter and make therof a syrope. And
some do stampe newe Roses and
then strayne out the ioyce of it and
Suger therwith they make syro
pe: and thys is the best makynge of
H. iiii. syrop


Syrrope & knowe ye wel that syrrope
made of freshe and newe Roses
syyste sumwhat mency they last, in
þe inde they bynde, but syrrope made
of dyre Roses syyste and laste they
bynde. Syrrope of Roses hath ver-
tue of comfortynge and constrey-
nyng agaynste the flux of the wom-
be and the vompte gyue it to hym
with rayne water or with rose wa-
ter i a feuer. After lettyng of blood
gyue it hi with colde water. Also
the same for the Syncope. Oyle
of Roses is made thus / some boyle
Roses in oyle and kepe it / Some
do fyll a glasse with Roses & oyle
and they boyle it in a caudron full
of water & thys oyle is good / Some
stampe freshe Roses with oyle &
they put it in a vessel of glasse, and
set it in the sonne. i. dayes and this
oyle is good agaynste chatinge of
the spuer / yf it be anoynted there-
with. Also it is good for þe deafe
in the

in the heade that cometh of hete &
anoynt the forhede and the temples
with oyle of Roses. The water of
Roses hath vertue of comfortynge
and constreyning agaynste the
flux of the wombe and vompte. Also
gyue hym rose water boyled with
Mustyke and cloues it is beste a-
gaynste the flux & feblenes of ver-
tue yf it come of a flux by a sharpe
medecyne. Also rose water is good
for the Syncope and þe Cardy-
ack gyue it hi to drynke & sprayng
the water on hys face and þe water
is good for eyes and in opuntmes
for the face / for it taketh away the
wemmes and the superfluyte and
strayneth the skynne. Also dyre
Roses put to the nose to smyll do
comforte the brayne and the herte
and quencheth the spyrte. Also
agaynste the flux of the wombe
of coloure gyue hym Roses boy-
led in rayne water. Also a playster
H.iii. made

made of roses and the whyte of egges and vineger and dip a sponge in it and lay it on the mouth of the stomake agaynste the syncope/gyue hym to drynke water that roses haue ben boyled in/and gyue hym powder of roses i a cere egge to make oyle of roses /take .ii.li. of oyle a.li. and an halfe of roses and put all in a glas/and put the glas in a Cauderon full of water and hange it therein and boile it tyl the thyrde parte be wasted and after strane it throught a linen clothe & kepe it for your vse for thys oyle is losing and serueth for many thyn- ges. Some do put rase water in a glas and they put roses with their Dewe therto/ & they make it to boyle in water /than they set it in the sonne til it be reed/and this water is beste/thys hathe vertue of com- for tynge and constraynyng and for the fluxe of the wombe and a-
gaynste

gaynst the bomyt. 

Rolemary.

 Thys herbe is hote and drye take the flowers and put them in a linnen clothe and so boile them in fayre cleane water to the halfe and coole it/ & drynke it for it is muche wothe agaynst all euylles in the body. Take the flowres and make powder therof and bynde it to the ryght arme in a linnen cloth and it shall make y lyght and mery. Also ete the flowers with hony fastyng with sower byede & there shall ryle in the none euyl swellynge. Also take the flowers and put them in a cheste amonge your clothes or amonge bokes and motthes shall nat hurt the, boyle the flowers i go tes mylke and than let the stāde al a nyght vnder the ayer fayre coue- red after y gyue hym to drye ther of that hath the tpsyke & it shall de- lyuer hi/ Boyle the leues i whyte

H. v.

wyne

pouthe. Also put therof in thy do-
 ces oꝝ in thy house and thou shal,
 be with out daunger of adders and
 other venemous serpētes / Make
 the a baryl therof and dꝛynke thou
 of the dꝛynke that standeth therein /
 and thou nedes nat to fere no poi-
 son that shal hurt the and yf thou
 set it in thy garden kepe it honestly
 foꝝ it is muche pꝛofytable. Also yf
 a man haue losse hys smellynge of
 the ayre oꝝ els he may nat dꝛawe
 his bꝛethe make a fyre of the wode
 and take his bꝛethe therwith and
 gyue it him to ete & he shal be hole

¶ Ruta.

¶ This is called Rewe / this is
 hote and dꝛy in the .ii. degre / the le-
 ues and the sedes be vled in mede-
 cynges & sedes may be kepte .x. yere
 and the leues a yere, he hath vertue
 of purgynge / dissoluyng and con-
 sumynge / foꝝ the heed ache take &
 toyce of rewe and hete it and put it
 into

into hys nosethꝛylles foꝝ it purgeth
 out flume and clenseth the bꝛayne /
 the toyce soden with wyne is good
 foꝝ the same / foꝝ feblenes of lyght
 put Rewe in a pot with ale and let
 the pacient vbe to dꝛynke of it, foꝝ
 stoppynge of the splen and lyuer /
 the stragury & the flux sethe Rewe
 in wyne with rootes of fenell oꝝ
 powder of Rewe / with the toyce
 of fenel and dꝛynke it warme.

Also foꝝ an ache oꝝ freynge, stampe
 Rewe with powder of comyn and
 playster it to the greuaunce. Also
 agaynst venym / dꝛynke & toyce of
 Rewe. foꝝ bꝛtynge of venemous
 beste oꝝ woꝛme / playster Rewe to
 the bꝛtynge / foꝝ feble eye syght
 still water of Rewe and roses to-
 gether and put therof i your eyes.
 Also an ointmēt foꝝ soꝛe eyes, stam-
 pe Rewe and fenell together of
 yche lyke muche be wayghte and
 medle the with honny and Custole
 and

and sethe it in oyle and wyne and
 playster it to the greuaunce and it
 wyl louse it. Also for the Ciatica
 and for other olde sores take mu-
 starde seade and the thyrde parte of
 crōmes of whit brede and fygges
 hony and byneger after as þe ache
 of the sore requyeth the more of þe
 fygges and the hony that is there
 the more sharper is the strength of
 the seade / and the more brede and by-
 neger that is in it the more weaker
 is the seade / but I say nat þe shall
 put this confeccyon to al sores but
 to greate and olde sores Hys vertu
 is yf he be eten it sharpeth a man-
 kes wyte it clenseth the bely / it bre-
 keth the stone it purgeth the vyne
 menstrosite and comforteth the sto-
 make.

¶ 2, *, 13, *, 5

¶ Smalage.

Take Smalage seade / Rewe seade /
 Peper and salte and grynde them
 well togyther and tempze the with
 wyne

wyne and drynke it / for it is good
 for colde and wycked humours in
 the stomake and comforteth the sto-
 make, the lyuer and the longes, it
 is good for woundes. For ranke-
 lynges and to cease the brennyng
 and akynge and to brynge them to
 theyr kynd againe, Also it is good
 to drynke for the feuer tercyan.

¶ Saluta.

¶ Sage is hote in the fyrste de-
 gre and drye in the seconde degre /
 the leues only be taken in medecy-
 nes both grene and drye / he may be
 kepte a yere / There be .ii. maners
 of Sages the garden and þe wyld
 Sage, If thou wyl haue Sage in
 for medecines take þe leues of gar-
 den Sage for that cōsumeth more
 and comforteth more than the other
 dothe. For the pally sethe þe leues
 of sage i wyne & vse to drye it. For
 the same seth þe leues i wyne & play-
 ster it to þe greuaunce, also it is good

I. i.

to put

to put in sauce, For the stragury, &
 flux & the marcyte it clenseth, sethe
 the leues in water & let the pacient
 lye ouer it & receyue y^e hote tume of
 it and it shall do him muche good.
 Also it is good for venym or pop-
 son/ Seth sage in ale or wyne and
 vse to drynke it. iij. daies and thou
 shalt be hole by y^e grace of god / For
 the stomake drynke y^e ioyce of sage
 with water and hony / & it is good
 to clense a mannes body to vse it
 both nye and grene / it wyl make
 a manes body clene / therfore who
 that vseth to eate of this herbe or
 drynke it / it is meruayle that any
 in conuenyence shulde greue them
 that vse it. If ye haue an ychynge
 on you washe it well with y^e ioyce
 of this herbe & it shall sle y^e ychynge
 Also drynke sage with wyne & a ly-
 tell wormewode and it shall cease
 the ache vnder the sydes, the wom-
 be / and the stomake / it is good
 to

For the palsy and dropsy

Saturcia.

This is called Sauery it is
 bore and drye i the. iij. Degre / sethe
 it in wyne or water and drynke it
 and it purgeth the raynes / y^e blad-
 der / the menstruosyte in the bowel-
 les, it purgeth the longes and lo-
 seth greate humours and compel-
 leth and putteth hym oute by the
 mouth by spittinge / therfore he is
 brennyng and styreth hym that
 vseth lechery therfore it is forbyde
 to vse it muche in metes, Soke it
 in vyneger or wyne and drynke it
 and it shall make the haue a meke
 stomake. Also whā it flowereth it
 shuld be gathered & dried & pouder
 made therof. Also take y^e pouder of
 Sauery & boyle it with clarytyed
 hony & vse to ste therof, or boyle it
 in wyne & drynke it and it wyl lye
 rough the flume i y^e best. Also for fre-
 tynges i toy bely drynke powder of
 3. ii. u in

peth well. Also for the bytynge of
a serpēt and for benym stampe thys
herbe and drinke it with wyne and
it is good. Also for the colde feuer
stampe thys herbe with wyne and
drinke it and thou shal be hole.

Chyagrene.

Chyys is colde and moyste in þ
iiij. degree / the topce of thys herbe
and also the same herbe is ryghte
necessary for many diseases / stampe
thys herbe with grece and play-
ster it to þ disease and meruelously
it helpeth. For dyscalse and darke-
nes of eyes, stampe this herbe and
put of the topce in þ sore eyes / For
chafynge of the lyuer take the topce
of it and byneger & dyppe a clothe
therin / and playster it to the gre-
uaunce / For bytynge or scaldynge
make an oymtmente of the topce of
thys herbe and oyle of Roscs and
waxe / but lay it nat to tyl after the
thre fyrste dayes / but fyrste anoynt
it with

it with grece and suche other. Also
for a dyscalse of a hote cause thys her-
be is good to be layde therto.

Ctycheworte.

Ctyys is called Ctycheworte
or bitrostog thys is hote & moyst in þ
fyrst degree / þ vertu of thys herbe is / it
is good to hele woundes & sore eyes

Cscamony.

Cscamony is hote and drye in
the.iii. degree / þ leues onely be best
in medecines, it may be kepte a yere
in his vertue or two for nede / For
the disease in the stomake boyle le-
ues of it in wyne & drinke it. Also
the aforesayde drinke is good for þ
bely / & for the strangury and flux
Also a stewe made with boyling of
it i water, or wine is good for þ for
sayd / If it be boyled in oyle & play-
ster it to þ aforesayd for it is better.

Csene.

Csene is hote & drye in the .iiij.
degree, it groweth in þ other side the
J.iiij. see

to hele it & dyp it bp, and it is good
foz the heed ache / yf it be stamped
and tempered with vyneger and
make a playster therof and laue it
to thy temples and vpon the mold
of thy heed.

Scabiose.

Thys is colde & moyst in the.ii.
degre / Stamp it and let it in
wyne and that dypke is good foz
the lyuer. And it wyl destroye wy-
ked humours in the stomake and
dypke it euery day fastynge with
Eurose & thou shal neuer haue po-
stume byedynge within the as longe
as thou doste vse thys medecyne.

Littera. C. Et primo de Caplu barbaio.



Thys is called Molen
it is colde and drye. It
is good foz the Cne-
cawdes & it be sodden
in wyne and scummed
clene. Also it is good to washe the
greaunce

greaunce therwith / it is good.
Also foz the flux in the bely.

Towne cresses.

Thys herbe is hote and drye in
the.iii. degre / the sede wyl endure
good fyue yere. It is good to staū-
che the flux & the mencyon / yf thou
take the sede and bruse it in a moz-
ter of bras & gyue þe seke to dypke
therof thre dayes euery day a pe-
ny weyght at ones with reed wyne
warmed and in those.iii. dayes he
shalbe staunched, or els he shal dye
of that euil, it is good foz the pally
and foz the male flanke, take þe sede
and sethe it with wyne & do it in a
pocket & bynde it to the syde ther as
þe greaunce is. Also it is good foz
hi þe may nat well pryse / take þe sede
& seth it i wyne & oyle oliue & binde
it to thy Mare, It is good foz a mā-
nes fundamēt þe goeth out / yf it be
take of colde thā it must be put i a-
gayne and strawe þe powder on the
fundament

fundament thy raynes with hony
and thā strawe the powder aboue
with the powder of Comē oꝝ pow-
der of Calafyne, foꝝ all these be
kyndly foꝝ it. Also take the stalkes
of towne cresses and byene thē and
there shall no venemus bestene
woꝝme abyde the sauour noꝝ smell
therof but he shall dye oꝝ fly away.

¶ Littera. Al. and fyfte of
the Violet.



Violet is colde in the
fyfte degre and moyst
in þe second. Foꝝ blaste
in the eyes, take the ro-
tes of Violettes and
stampe thē with Myrre & Saffron
and at night lay it to the soze eyes.
Also foꝝ a wounde in the hed stāpe
the leues of Violettes with hony
and veneger and playster it to the
wounde and it shall hele it. And foꝝ
thē that may nat slepe foꝝ syknes
sethe this herbe in water & at euē
let hym

let hym soke wel his fete in the wa-
ter to the ancles, whan he goeth to
bed bynde of this herbe to hys tem-
ples & he shall slepe wel by the gra-
ce of god. Take Violett, Myrre
and Saffron, and make a plaitter
and lay to þe soze eyes that be swol-
len and it shall cease akyne & bate
the swellynge.

¶ Quia suavis.

¶ This is called the swete Ray-
syn / it is hote and moyste it hath
vertue of clensynge / scourynge oꝝ
smoothering Raysyns eten oꝝ boyled
in wine is good foꝝ þe cold coughe /
sethe them in wyne and they be
good to playster on the cold postu-
me and good foꝝ a colde stomake.

¶ Meruayne.

¶ Meruayne is hote and drye in the
seconde degre It is good agaynst
al maner of euels of venym if the
pacyent dryuke it tempered with
wyne and stampe the herbe & lay it
on euery

on euery manet of bytting of veny-
mous beste/and it wyll drawe out
the venym and saue the soze / whō
ē bseth it/it wyll make good byeth
and do away synke of the mouth.
Also who that hath ē feuer tercian
take .iii. rotes and .iiij. croppes of
the same herbe and stampe them &
temper the with rayze cleue water
and gyue it to the patient to drinke.
Also who that hath the feuer quat-
tayne let hym take the same drinke.
Also it is good for the stomake, the
lyuer, & lōges. Also take veruayn
Betayne, & Saxfrage & of euery
of them lyke much and stampe the
with wyne tempered and thys is
good for them that hath the stone.
Also they that bere veruayn vpon
the they shall haue loue and grace
of greate maysters and they shall
graunt hi hys askyng yf his askyng
be good and ryghtfull.

Here

Here begynneth .xv. a fyfthe of
water cresses.



After cresses be hote &
dye in the seconde de-
are seth them in water
by the selfe and dynke
it or sethe it in flesche, &
suppe of the brothe and it wyl close
well the inwarde membez. Also it
is good agaynste the Strangulis
and the flux of the same.

Wylde neppe or wodbynde.

This herbe bereth a flower like
to the hope and after the flower be-
bereth a grene berry, and it hath a
greate rote, the vertu of the herbe
is moſte in the rote, it is good for
sinowes that be thronken or cut to
make them sope and to haue their
owne course in theyr proper kynd.
Go to ē rote of wylde Neppe that
is lyke wodbynde and make a hole
in the middes of the rote thā couer
it wel agayne that no ayer go out/
no

noꝝ that no rayne go in noꝝ water/
powder noꝝ the soune come nat to
much to it , let it stāde so a night &
a day thā after that go to it & thou
shal fynd therein a certayne lycour,
take out that lycoure with a spon
and put it into a cleue glas and do
so euery day as longe as thou thin-
dest ought in the hole & this muste
be done in the moneth of Apryll oꝝ
Maye. than anoynt the soze ther-
with agaynst the tyer/than wete a
linen clothe in the same licour and
lappet it about þe soze and it shal be
hole in shorte space on warantise
by the grace of god. Foꝝ the goote
a soueraygne medecyne/ Take the
rote of wylde Reppe and the rote
of þe wylde Docke soden vꝝ it selfe
and cut them i thyn peces & pare a
waye the bitter rynd and cut the in
quarters, thā boyle the in cleue wa-
ter. ii. oꝝ .iiij. houres, than stāpe the
in a moꝝter as smal as can be / the
put

put thereto a quantite of sote of a
chymny / and temper them with
the mylke of a cowe that the here
is of one coloure , than take the
pylle of a man that is fastinge and
make a playster therof and boyle
it togyther and as hote as ye may
suffre laye it to the greuaunce a
daye and a nyght & so do .ix. tymes
and it shal heale the on warantise
by the grace of God.

¶ Wormewode.

¶ This is hote & dry in the secōde
degre, it is good foꝝ wormes i the
wombe if it be stamped a the ioyce
wꝝonge out & myngled wth swete
mylke and gyue to the pacyent to
drynke/ & seche this herbe in wyne
and make a playster to the wombe
Make pouder of Wormewode, Cen-
toꝝ, Betayne, of schelyke muche
by wayght and medle all well to-
gyther , and the powder wyllice
wormes i the wombe bothe whan
k. i. it is

It is eaten in potage and dronken.
 Also for the mylke that is swollen
 of a colde mater, sethe it in wyne &
 let the syke drynke therof and that
 shall heale hym / & make a playster
 of the substance of the herbe & laye
 it all hote to thy wombe agaynste
 the greuaunce. Also stampe woyme
 wode & temper it with vinegre and
 with tosted sowre breade grounde
 therewith & with the ioyce of Men-
 tes and the ioyce of Plantayne of
 euery yche lyke much and sey them
 well togyther, thā make a playster
 & lay it to the mouthe of þe stomake
 and thys shall chaunce bykyng oꝝ
 castyng. For woymes in a mānes
 eres be it serpente oꝝ crowsye take
 the ioyce of woymewode & put it in
 the ere. Also for the drypsy sethe it
 in wyne and geue the syke to
 drynke at moynynge and
 euenyng and it shall
 helpe hym



Here

Here begynneth the table of this boke.

H ignus castus.	A nabula.
A pium.	A cus demonis.
A uetum.	A gentila.
A punericus.	A cus mustela.
A bsintium.	A llium.
A ctamasia.	A nisum.
A ffodillus.	B
A cistologia lon.	B etonia.
A cistologia rot.	B lasominta.
A bjotinum.	B ete.
A meos.	B ozago.
A lleluya.	B ugla.
A sterion.	B urneta.
A grimonia.	B ursapastoris.
A uentia.	B ozago syluest.
A ltea.	B yllye.
A marisca	C
A uricula muris	C amampila.
A pium emu	C alamintum.
A pium canary	C assula maior
A triplex do.	C assula minor

B. II.

L
 Lantidicum.
 Lingua cetui.
 Liliuin.
 Lignitum.
 Lingua Bouis.
 Lingua Serpen-
 tes maior.
 Lingua serp. mi.
 Lingua Canis.
 Lingua Ficina
 Lupinus.
 Labium Veneris
 Lauendula.
 Lactuca.
 Lactuca Siluat.
 Lactuca Lepo.
 Lolium.
 Lapatium rust.
 Linum.
 Lauriola.
 Licorisa.
 Lappa.
M
 Millefolium.
 Mercurialis.
 Menta.
 Menta romana
 Malua.
 Mozel oz nyghe
 Madowe.
 Mastike.
 Magerum.
 Millefolius ma
 oz Yarowe.
 Motherwozte.
 oz Hogwozte.
 Maces.
 Menta rubea.
N
 Nux muscata.
 Napius.
O
 Olibanum.
P
 Puna.
 Piper.
 Pimpernella.

Pulegium.
 Peucedanuz bel
 Feniculus pro.
 Petrocillium.
 Peritolium.
 Pastinaca.
 Plantago.
 Portum.
 Piretrum.
 Papauer.
 Polipodium.
 Pienium.
Q
 Quique foliū
R
 Rybwozte.
 Reed nettell.
 Rosa rubea.
 Rosemary.
 Ruta.
S
 Sinapium.
 Smalage.
 Saluta.
 Salucela.
 Saxfrage.
 Scabisa.
 Sotherne wode.
 Syngrene.
 Stychewozte.
 Scamony.
 Sene.
 Selondine.
 Sauayne.
 Scabiosa.
T
 Tapsu barba.
 Towne cresses.
U
 Uolet.
 Uua suavis.
 Veruayne.
W
 Water cresses.
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 Worme wode.
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